

Sweeping Cut In Freight Rates Made By I. C. C.

Decision Handed Down Today Following En- quiry Into General Structure Averages Ten Per Cent—Is Larger Than Was Anticipated

(By The Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, May 24.—A reduction in freight rates averaging 10 per cent was ordered today by the Interstate Commerce Commission in a decision resulting from an inquiry into the general rate structure of the nation. The cut was fixed at 14 per cent in the eastern territory, 13 1/2 in the western, and 12 1/2 in the southern and mountain Pacific territories. All reductions are effective July 1 and constitute a greater cut than was generally expected.

The commission in ordering the decreases, which are on a horizontal basis, held that the railroads are entitled to earn 5 3/4 per cent on the value of their property, rather than approximately 6 per cent, fixed as a reasonable return, by the transportation act of 1920.

Passenger and Pullman rates are unaffected. Agricultural products are not affected by the reduction, the voluntary cut made by the railroads January 1st substituting for a decision on these commodities.

The commission defined percentages of reduction in the southern district as 12 1/2 per cent, instead of 25 per cent, authorized in 1920. The commission expressed the conclusion that the "assumption that the railroad rates can or should be stabilized on the present high basis is futile."

WALL STREET REACTS FAVORABLY.

NEW YORK, May 24.—Wall Street received with identical relief news of the railroad freight reductions by the Interstate Commerce Commission. The better known railroad stocks were conspicuously strong at the opening of the market, gains running from fractions to over one point.

Bishop Beauchamp Will Preach Here

J. T. Catlin Returns from General Conference, Out- lining Major Achieve- ments—Is Appointed Member of Finance Com- mittee.

James T. Catlin, one of the Virginia lay delegates to the quadrennial General Conference of the Methodist church, South, returned last night from Hot Springs, Ark., accompanied by Mrs. Catlin. They have been away over three weeks. Mr. Catlin being in almost constant attendance on the conference.

A special honor was conferred on the Danville man, as he was elected a member of the finance committee of the General Conference, which is considered a distinction. There are approximately twenty members of the committee, which will handle the financial aspects of the southern church. One of its principal undertakings will be the raising of ten million dollars, this to form the superannuation fund for aged bishops, who hereafter will not look for things material after having grown old in the service of the church. Other Virginia laymen, appointed to committees include Dr. J. D. Blackwell, of Ashland, who is on the Educational Committee, E. Frank Story, Franklin, who is on the committee of churchmen, and J. E. Jones, of Richmond, the Virginia lay delegates return from the conference highly elated, for they not only secured the election of their choice for bishop, Dr. W. B. Beauchamp, but also numerous reforms. Bishop Beauchamp, who is the first of the new order, brought delegates to the conference, brought about the only event toadden the remaining delegates was the sudden illness of Bishop J. C. Kilgus, of Charlotte, N. C., who was placed on the superannuated list. Just as the delegates were about to leave, a serious condition that it was necessary to remove him from the train to a hospital, where Dr. F. W. of Trinity, N. C., and Dr. Wooten, of Durham, N. C., are remaining bedside. His condition is most grave.

Mr. Catlin said this morning that Dr. Beauchamp was the first of the five bishops elected. He won on the second ballot. He first received 124 votes, 159 being necessary to win the second ballot resulting to 208 votes. Dr. J. E. Winn, Dr. Smoot, Dr. C. E. Baker, of the Virginia conference, all received flattering votes on the first ballot. Mr. Catlin announced today that Dr. Beauchamp will come to Danville probably Sunday, June 4th, at which time he will preach at the Methodist church. Bishop Beauchamp will call for Danville, where he will have his headquarters in the European field, to which he has been assigned, on July 10th, and he will return in October and will then be in his wife's home from the meantime.

Mr. Catlin said that no chance has been made in the name of the Methodist church, South. This year never actually reached the conference floor. A movement to change the name of the church to "The Church of God," but apparently there was little sentiment for any amendment to the well established name of the denomination.

The unification of the southern church with that of the northern church has been left to the commission which will study the question, and which will make a report at the next quadrennial. Proposed changes in

Negro Women Are Fined On Assault Charges

Lena Mitchell, colored, was this morning fined \$50 and costs for feloniously cutting Cora Gray, and the Gray woman was fined \$10 and costs for an assault on Lena. The fight occurred several nights ago on Patton street, after Cora Gray was alleged to have caught Lena Mitchell at the jail for the purpose of seeing her husband, Charlie Gray, held pending decision on an appeal of a sentence of two years for bootlegging.

The evidence showed that the fight was the result of Lena's attentions to Cora's husband. She is said to have visited the jail frequently, for the purpose of talking with him. Cora was aware of this, and had warned the girl to stop going to see her husband.

On the night of the cutting, Cora Gray was seen to go to the jail to see her husband, and found the other negro there. After some words, she followed Lena up the street and called to her to wait a minute, as she wanted to talk with her. She then stated that the negro attacked her with a knife, whereupon she struck at her with a stick which she carried wrapped in a paper.

On the other hand, Lena, who does not deny going to see Charlie Gray, says that Cora had threatened her, and that she cut the woman only after she had attacked her with a stick. Cora Gray was cut in several places, three of which required stitches. One bad wound was inflicted on the arm and two on the head.

Fossil Reveals Giant Crocodile

BUENOS AIRES, May 23.—The La Plata museum reports that a fossil has been discovered in Northern Patagonia which is described as one of the most important in recent times. It is a particularly bright specimen of a giant crocodile of the second era, which, it is believed, was hitherto unknown to science. The skeleton, well preserved, was found near the town of Rio Negro on the river bearing the same name from strata of red clay, the sandstone, which is expected over a large extension in the upper valley of the Rio Negro and the rivers Limay and Neuquen.

An expedition which spent three months in Northern Patagonia, following the Rio Negro from the mouth to the headwaters, brought back the cranium, eighty-six vertebrae, all the ribs, the leg and feet and bones, large fragments of the pelvis, both shoulder blades and a number of small tail bones, which were all in position when the monster was found. The museum says that the skeleton indicates that the animal was more than forty feet long.

City Voting List Is Largest Ever

City Treasurer George P. Geoghegan is rapidly completing the new city voting list which will be submitted to the clerk of the court one day this week and which is expected to be in the hands of the printer next week.

Mr. Geoghegan said today that it is the largest voting list in the history of the city. Nearly 4,000 were on the list last year and this year approximately 4,500. The list, which has been added to it. Not all of those on the list are eligible to vote as there is a large percentage of women who have not yet registered. They can do this, however, between now and the date of the primary.

The great increase in strength of the city's voting population will probably mean action by the city electoral board in increasing facilities at each voting precinct in order to cope with this increase, assuring a prompt counting of the ballots.

A Strange Knocking Leads 3 Men Astray

NEW BERN, May 23.—They picked a wrong time to investigate a strange knocking down on Buzzard creek near their home and on the creek attracted the attention of three men who were out on bonds of \$200 each for their appearance at a preliminary hearing tomorrow to face charges of manufacturing whiskey. The three men were captured at the biggest moonshine plant that has been seized in Craven county in a year—a combination 200-gallon and 86-gallon outfit by Revenue Officers W. J. and J. W. Manning, of Buzzard creek, a few miles north of here up Neuse river early today.

The officers had lain in wait for the operators of the still all night and early this morning the three men appeared; they were taken under arrest immediately and brought before the United States Commissioner. Their explanation was that a few days ago while at work in the field the strange knocking down on the creek attracted their attention and this morning they went down to investigate.

Anti Typhoid Serum Urged By Garnett

Dr. R. W. Garnett, city health officer, today called attention to the availability of typhoid vaccine treatment at this time, when people are making plans for trips to the country for the summer months. At this time of year the danger of contaminated water and milk is considered greater than at any other time, and the health officer has in past years emphasized the value of the anti-typhoid treatment which gives immunity from the dangerous disease.

The city administers the treatment at cost price. This consists of three injections, made usually from five to ten days apart.

Five Killed In Sewer Shaft

(By The Associated Press.)
NEWARK, N. J., May 22.—Three firemen and two tunnel workers were killed with gas and electricity at the bottom of a sewer shaft, and nearly a score of firemen were overcome. The firemen were trying to rescue the dead tunnel workers.

Missing Heiress Is Found



ARDMORE, Okla., May 24.—A nationwide search for Mrs. Opal Rexroat Kinney, wealthy owner of Oklahoma oil lands and heiress to her father's rich estate, ended when ex-Sheriff Buck Garrett of Ardmore located the girl and her husband at Houston, Tex.

Kinney and his bride disappeared from Ardmore last January, after her father objected to their marriage, saying she believed Kinney planned to annex their Texas fortune.

With the young couple back in Ardmore, it is reported differences have been smoothed over.

Picture shows (left to right) Mrs. Kinney, Buck Garrett, and Kinney.

Liberty Daughters Adjourn Meeting

William F. Keller, Richmond, Elected State Councilor—Newport News Next Meeting Place.

The State Council, Sons and Daughters of Liberty, which began their annual convention here yesterday, adjourned since early this afternoon, to meet next year in Newport News, and after electing a full slate of state officers as follows:

State Councilor, William F. Keller, Richmond.

State Associate Councilor, Sallie Harwood, Bristol.

State Vice Councilor, Ethel Hardister, Danville.

State Associate Vice Councilor, Clyde Beckner, Roanoke.

State Guard, Annie Wilkinson, Petersburg.

State Inside Guard, Eva Colonna, Harborton.

State Outside Guard, Barrie Simpson, Richmond.

State Associate Secretary, Charity Terry, Danville.

State Associate Treasurer, Gola Duval, Washington, D. C.

First National Representative, Julia B. Gatch, Washington, D. C.

Second National Representative, Lizzie Bradley, Richmond.

Third National Representative, George E. Jones, Richmond.

Alternates, Hattie Wakefield, Richmond; Mrs. Ashworth, Brookville; Clara Blackburn, Roanoke.

The election of officers was the first order of the day and after the secret ballots had been taken and the results made known, the new officers were taken riding through the city.

Before the adjournment today, a lengthy resolution was adopted in which the convention went on record as expressing its sincerest thanks to all of the agencies contributing to the cause of the war, and the most successful conventions held of recent years. Those included severally in expressions of thanks are the councils of the organization in Danville, the local hotels, the Chamber of Commerce and the Young Men's Business Club, the railroad, the Danville Elks, the local newspapers and finally to "your kind, considerate mayor, a venerable Virginia gentleman, for his kindly words of welcome."

Harry Wooding, Jr. was the principal speaker last night at the annual social session which the organization holds every year during the convention. This was held at the Odd Fellows Hall in North Danville, and was attended by more than 250 people, including the full roster of delegates and officers of the order. They enjoyed an excellent banquet several speakers, including Mayor Harry Wooding had made a brief address in which he renewed his expression of gratification of having the Sons and Daughters in Danville.

Harry Wooding, Jr. made a highly patriotic address, one in which he analyzed the spirit of the order and lauded its principles. By vote of the convention afterwards it was moved and seconded that 100.00 copies of the address be printed and circulated throughout the order in this country. Mr. Wooding stressed among other things the importance of political education in the schools, declaring that demagogues would not longer exist if as much attention was paid to teaching political history as is paid to history in its accepted text.

Mrs. Westmoreland Davis was in the audience and made a fervent brief address, to which she responded. Mrs. Davis remained over in Danville from the convention of Business Women, which she also attended.

Mrs. Julia B. Gay, of Richmond, State councilor, delivered a fervent address and so did O. A. Quinn, a member of the local organization. W. A. Ferguson, national councilor of Richmond, also spoke during the evening. The meeting is described as a rousing one and full of enthusiasm.

Airmen Begin Jules Verne Feat

Major Blake Stars On 30,000 Mile Trip Around World in 90 Days.

(By The Associated Press.)
CROYDEN, England, May 24.—Major W. T. Blake and his two companions today started their thirty-hour round-the-world flight around the world.

After flying over Europe by way of Paris, Rome and Athens, they hope to cross Mesopotamia and Arabia to the Persian Gulf, calling at Karachi and Calcutta, and skirting the Indian and Siamese jungles. Afterward they will fly along the Chinese coast, touching at Hongkong, Shanghai, and Japan. They hope to throw a coil round the globe in ninety days, like Jules Verne's hero.

It was announced that the money for the expedition has been given by some one who does not wish his name known. The Air Ministry is helping him as India, and the Canadian Air Board is building two machines which will be available at Vancouver and Winnipeg.

Germany's Iron Man Revealed

By MILTON BRONNER
European Manager for N.E.A. Service.
LONDON, May 24.—For one afternoon, Hjalmar Stinnes, the business genius of Germany, in exile from his home in Mulheim to Berlin, spent the time on the train reading his favorite light literature. The famous reports of his German corporation, one of the largest in the world, had been in the hands of the Stinnes and Hjalmar Schuckert trust. It is one of the two great trusts in Germany. Its history is the typical story of a man of law protected by a powerful corporation, and a corporation protected by a powerful man.

In this it resembles the manner in which Stinnes himself combined all his assets—coal and iron—into a new combination, a trust of trusts, backed by those of others and brought into being the vast Rhine-Ruhr Union.

"Himmel" Stinnes is reported to have said in his century after looking over the future of the electrical trust's report. "I see people use a vast lot of coal, iron and steel in a year's time. And they can't ever get a new combination, a trust of trusts, bigger than anything Germany has ever seen."

With Stinnes to think to dream, is to act. He got into touch with the electrical concern. He showed them how his coal and iron and steel, added to their technical skill and inventions and patents, would make a more successful business than before.

It was not long before he brought about a combine of the Rhine-Ruhr Union and the Stinnes and Hjalmar Schuckert concern. It is known as the Stinnes-Rhine-Elbe-Schuckert Union. It is so big it makes one dizzy to contemplate its size and its multifarious activities. It has a capitalization of about a billion marks. And there is very little if any water in this.

Therein it differs from our gigantic trusts. The German corporation is honestly represented by actual properties in superabundance. The American Stinnes drew up for the first time a complete picture of the year 2000, all of which shows that Stinnes is building for a long time ahead for a time when the biggest Stinnes' grandsons will be industrial princes in a Germany that will more than have fully recovered from her defeat in the great war.

In a previous article I outlined the main activities of the Rhine-Ruhr Union. The Stinnes and Hjalmar Schuckert concern, even before Stinnes' death, entered the pie practice. It built and controlled subways in Berlin and sold every kind of

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Pageant Scores Great Triumph

ALWAYS BULL ON AMERICA, SAYS J. P. M.

LONDON, May 24.—J. Pierpont Morgan broke his rule against being interviewed today and gave a 30-second interview to NEA service.

QUESTION: "What are the possibilities that America will help Europe in the shape of loans and credits?"

ANSWER: "I'm over here to learn personally European economic and financial conditions and needs. To pronounce an opinion now would be like a judge rendering judgment before he has heard the case. When my investigation is completed my first duty will be to report to our government."

QUESTION: "Are you a bull or bear on business in America in the near future?"

ANSWER: "I'm always an optimist on America."

Averett College Commencement

The 63rd annual commencement exercises of Averett college begin Friday evening, May 26th, at 8:15 o'clock, with the final concert by the advanced students of the conservatory.

On the same evening there will be an exhibit by the art and home economics departments under the supervision of Miss Nelson Hackett and Miss Reba Martin.

On Saturday evening at 8:15 o'clock the senior class of 1922 will give their class day exercises in the college auditorium.

Dr. Z. T. Cody, of Greenville, S. C., editor of The South Carolina Baptist Courier, has been secured to preach the baccalaureate sermon of Averett college on May 28th, in the First Baptist church. Late in the afternoon vespers services will be held out on the lawn of Averett college. Dr. Cody will also conduct this twilight service.

The graduating exercises of the class of 1922 will be held in the college auditorium on Monday evening at 8:15. Dr. Solon B. Cousins, pastor of the Second Baptist church of Richmond, Va., will deliver the literary address of the evening.

Dr. Cousins is a young man, being only 36 years of age, and one of the leading orators of the Southern Baptist convention. Recently Dr. Cousins was the Sunday preacher at Columbia University. In a few days he will make the annual address at the Virginia college convocation. James P. Craft will deliver the diplomas to the members of the graduating class.

This will bring to a close a successful year of the college. Work on the new building is progressing rapidly.

Her "Pull" Swung Ship Board Deal

General Wood Reported Safe On His Yacht

(By The Associated Press.)
MANILA, P. I., May 24.—Leonard Wood, governor of the Philippines, is safe after being missing for thirty-six hours on the yacht Apo, following a typhoon.

Woman, Who Had Cancelled \$500,000 Agreement Re- vised, Sues for \$5,000 Fee.

NEW YORK, May 23.—Miss B. Lenarz Lucke, stylishly gowned treasurer of the A. T. Alexander Company, an oil concern of No. 17 Battery Place, told Supreme Court Justice Davis and a jury yesterday how she used her influence in November, 1917, to have revived a cancelled \$500,000 United States Shipping Board contract for the construction of two wooden ships.

The firm for which she says she performed this service was the Ship Construction and Trading Company of No. 11 Broadway, with a yard at Stonington, Conn. At the time she testified, the firm's contract had been cancelled because of its inability to raise \$50,000 to obtain the release of lumber held by another concern as security for a loan.

Miss Lucke said \$5,000 had been promised to her if she succeeded in getting the contract reinstated, and she sued for that amount, alleging it was not paid. At the conclusion of her testimony, yesterday Justice Davis directed the jury to return a verdict this morning in favor of Miss Lucke for any amount up to and including \$5,000.

Miss Lucke told how she had introduced M. J. Gilbert, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Ship Construction and Trading Company, to Malcolm R. McAdoo, consulting engineer and brother to William G. McAdoo, then Secretary of the Treasury. As the result of her influence and Malcolm R. McAdoo's aid, she said, the Shipping Board entered into a supplemental contract with Gilbert's firm, Nov. 22, 1917, under which they renewed the terms of the cancelled agreement, extended the time of delivery and advanced the \$50,000 necessary to release the needed lumber.

McAdoo R. McAdoo testified Miss Lucke had told him about the difficulties of the United States ship construction and Trading company and that he had gone to Admiral Bowles, who had referred him to Mr. Hay, who in charge of wooden ship construction.

Regarding his relations with his brother, Mr. McAdoo said: "We are brothers. We were never in business together. I paddle my own canoe and he paddles his. My business relations with his brother are nothing to do with him, directly or otherwise. Miss Lucke's matter was one which he knew nothing about."

Miss Lucke declared the whole transaction had been "a business transaction" with her.

(By The Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, May 24.—Indiana Republicans meeting in State convention today, and party leaders around the State to see how they can get on. Senator Watson presented the claim that an efficient and successful management of the State's business affairs had brought them substantial results in relieving the State of eight years of Democratic "misrule."

Indiana G. O. P. Meeting Today

Information was received here this morning announcing the death early today in Richmond of Miss Susie W. Woodfolk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Woodfolk of Richmond and a member of the Danville chapter of the G. O. P. of this city.

Mrs. W. Woodfolk will be brought here for interment. Notice of the funeral will be announced later.

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MOTOR COMPANY CHANGES HANDS

T. P. Whitfield has bought out the interest of the Myers Motor Co. of Lynchburg in the Motor Co. handling the Republic Trucks in this city and the firm will now be known as The New Motor Co. The new firm is owned by local capital and will handle Republic trucks exclusively in this territory. The firm also will run a service and repair station for Republic trucks as well as do a general repair business.

MIDSHIPMEN WILL RECEIVE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, May 23.—All of the graduates in the June class at the Annapolis United States Naval Academy will receive their commissions as ensigns, the nomination being confirmed today by the Senate. This ending of the ceremony to the number to be commissioned.

—Mr. and Mrs. Blair Kerns and little Julia of Cincinnati, are the guests of Mr. Kerns' father, Hon. J. O. Kerns of North Mann.

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231 MAIN STREET

May Festival At Schoolfield Was Marked Success

The May Festival, given by children of the Schoolfield schools last evening from 6:15 to 7:15, at West end park was a spectacular success in every way. The weather was perfect, carefully arranged and thoroughly successful. The program about 1,000 people saw the spectacle, in which over 200 children took part.

Those who took part in the program were the children of the West End school, the kindergarten and the Y. I. C. A. group of boys under the direction of Messrs. Suttles and Benton.

The initial number of the program was the crowning of the queen, accompanied with dignity and regard for detail the queen and all of her attendants being beautifully arrayed for the occasion. Beatrice Morris was queen.

The children's flower garden group, from the Schoolfield kindergarten, directed by Miss Margaret Wainwright, followed. The children wore costumes of white, pink, blue, red and purple. The ensemble was effective and pleasing and the spectacle splendidly portrayed. The costumes in this feature were excellent in every detail, showing forth the most evident fact that much work had been expended upon them.

One of the pictorial scenes of the program was the "Sleeping Princess" number. The Bluebird and Mother Goose Club with Mrs. Harrah, Miss Lucile Cross, Miss Jean and Miss Eroscoe in charge, furnished the children for the ensemble. There were a princess, a prince, a witch, courtiers and all the other accessories required for an honest-to-goodness fairy story. A feature of this number was a group of children dressed to represent a hedge.

Till and Myll in Fairland was another fairy story number with byoneses, huffins moonbeams, pucks, fairy king and queen. Till and Myll were boy and girl for a young adventure of their very own. This number was under the direction of Misses Patterson and Thomason and was cleverly carried out, both in conception and execution.

The participants of the May Pole Dance were from the third and fourth grades. Special costumes had been made for each girl and this particular spectacle was most charming. The directors of this number were Mrs. Clark and Miss Von Wenzel.

A group of boys from the Y. M. C. A. under the direction of Suttles and Benton gave a splendid exhibition of gymnastic stunts. About thirty boys took part.

The Pioneer Boys organization of Schoolfield prepared the grounds for the occasion and helped to keep order during the festival.

—Mrs. N. L. Pook left this morning for a visit to Richmond.

And Then Rudolph's Troubles Started!



Here's Natacha Rambova (Miss Winifred Hudnut) promising to love, honor and obey Rudolph Valentino at Mexicali, Mexico. They didn't know Los Angeles authorities would be after Rudolph for bigamy as soon as he came back. Valentino's divorce decree from Jean Acker isn't final.

DISMISS CHARGE AGAINST ATT'NEY

A charge of contempt of court lodged recently against William Leigh, an attorney of Halifax county, has been dismissed by a full court of justices sitting in South Boston. A few days ago Attorney Leigh applied for a writ of prohibition, which was granted by Judge Edwards. The attorney, asking that Magistrate H. W. Woodall, who had cited him, be disallowed from sitting in judgment on the case, was granted the writ. Judge Woodall ordered the case tried before three other magistrates, who dismissed the charge.

CALLANDS HIGH SCHOOL

C. H. S. presents a busy atmosphere these days. The students in both the grades and high school are working diligently. Next week is examination week and the next week commencement. The seniors are planning their class-day program and practicing their play along with their regular work.

On May 19 Callands and Climax played another match game of baseball on the Callands diamond. This game was easily won by the home team, the score being 19 to 11. The C. H. S. team has been very successful in winning a number of games this season. On the 20th the C. H. S. team played the Callands team and were again winners the score being 25 to 7.

The high school teachers were recently entertained in a most delightful manner in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. William Nuckols and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Reynolds.

The second meeting of the Rural Betterment Campaign was held at Callands High school Saturday, May 20. President Craft, of Averett College, delivered an unusually interesting address Saturday morning.

On Thursday evening, May 25, at eight o'clock a musical program in the direction of Misses Dudley and Shelton will be given in the high school auditorium. Everyone is cordially invited to attend this program which will be the last program given by the music department this season.

The following teachers were entertained by Miss Margaret Spruce at her home at Chatham last week-end: Misses Elizabeth Dudley, Margaret Sone, Pearl Fox, Georgia Moon, Suddie Shelton and Ruth Marshall.

ROCKY MOUNT NEWS

ROCKY MOUNT, Va., May 22.—John Hodges was assaulted by his wife, Fannie, and step daughter, Lydia, Saturday night, May 20, with the intent to kill, over a domestic affair, in their home, eleven and a half miles from Rocky Mount. The case was brought Monday by the county magistrate, D. E. Cooper, and sent to the Grand Jury, case to be tried at the June term of Circuit Court.

The case as to conviction of the Daughters of the Franklin & Pennsylvania railroad to E. P. Angle, will again be brought before the court, June 1st, 1922.

The convention of the Christian church which convened in Richmond the past week, the Rev. Arthur Wake, pastor of the Christian church of Rocky Mount, was elected President of the 48th annual convention of the Daughters of the Franklin & Pennsylvania railroad to E. P. Angle, will again be brought before the court, June 1st, 1922.

The choir of the night services mentioned above was composed of the Junior Sunday school class of Scott Memorial Methodist church, with Mrs. C. E. Mues, teacher, assisted by Mrs. Geo. W. Mattox, which was unusually good owing to the youthfulness of its members.

The manager of the Auditorium Theatre, Miss Carrie M. Schneider, will give a Saturday night, May 27, 1922, either one adult ticket or two junior tickets for the Chautauque, which will be in Rocky Mount, June 10 to 15th.

Mrs. J. W. Schuler and daughter, Mrs. C. A. Tucker, returned from the latter part of the past week, shopping in the home of Mrs. Nannie Cooper, of Chatham.

Mrs. B. V. Angle has returned from a pleasant visit in the home of her brother, I. D. Chapman, near Salem. Dr. J. M. Williams returned Saturday from Hot Springs, Ark., where he attended the National Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

R. A. MASONS HERE EXEMPLIFY WORK

Grand High Priest William Chapman and Grand Lecturer J. T. Cochran of the Grand Royal Arch chapter of Virginia, were distinguished Masonic visitors in Danville yesterday and at a special convocation of Euclid chapter last night they exemplified the work of the R. E. and Royal Arch degrees, two of the most interesting phases of Royal Arch Masonry.

The special convocation last night was well attended and the Royal Archers were instructed and impressed by the brilliancy with which the work of these two degrees were exemplified under the direction of men so admirably versed in Masonic lore and its application in the speculative work of the order. Both gentlemen were well known here, and they added many friends to their list during their stay here.

The two visitors were entertained at dinner at the Hotel Barton last night by Euclid chapter. There were present also Hon. H. O. Kerns, past grand master of Masons in Virginia, Past Master Priest D. H. Penn, Secretary E. G. Anderson, Mr. Davis, of Chatham H. B. Trundle and A. H. Taylor, High Priest J. M. King of Euclid chapter, as well as a number of a business engagement and could not be present.

Messrs. Chapman and Cochran interested many in the Royal Arch Masonic school to be conducted this year at Rocky Mount, under the shadows of the Blue Ridge during the ensuing summer. These gatherings are always interesting and profitable to students of Masonry and are usually attended by several representatives from Euclid chapter. This summer it is anticipated that many more will go.

—Mrs. J. W. Sams and little daughter left a few days ago for Raleigh, N. C., where they will join Mrs. Geo. D. Harrison and from there leave for an extended visit to friends in West Virginia. They will also visit their father, Mr. Jas. L. Poe, at Scottsville, Va.

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MAY WITHDRAW AS MEMBERS OF MEDICAL ASS'N

ST. LOUIS, May 23.—The possibility that a group of physicians and specialists of the rank and file of the American Medical Association in convention here would withdraw and form a separate organization which would not place restrictions on the practice of "group medicine," was indicated late today when a conference headed by one member of the House of delegates and a number of specialists considered the question of withdrawing from membership.

Their action was prompted by the report of the committee on amendments of the constitution and by-laws in which the decision of ethical questions lead to several amendments being proposed against certain classes of clinics and physicians practicing group medicine. Under the constitution of the association any amendments proposed must lay over for one year before being voted upon.

STRETCHING HIS RIGHTS
NEW YORK, May 23.—A certificate of membership in the League of Rights, interpreted to include "hip-pocket privileges," was produced by Vittorio Feruzio in Police court today, when he was charged with having fired two shots at Isadore Goussard during a Saturday night altercation in an ice cream shop.

The document set forth that Vittorio had joined "an organization pledged to fight for the repeal of the Eighteenth amendment and other blue laws."

He thought, he told Magistrate Goussard, that it entitled him to carry a revolver, "to use as he saw fit."

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TWO STILLS ARE VISITED TUESDAY

State Prohibition Inspectors W. T. Shelton and V. O. Smith made an excursion into Henry county yesterday and captured the equipment of two stills, the stills having been removed to these places. No arrests were made. The equipment found and destroyed was worth about \$1,000. The first place visited was near Carlsie. The other place was near Burnt Chimney.

—Mrs. Mary A. Cole is critically ill at the home of her grandson, H. H. Giles, Jefferson St.

REVIVAL CONTINUES

S. R. Williams has been conducting revival services at Salem during last week and will continue there on this week.

Prof. Vinson of Wilmore, Ky., is conducting song service.

MISS BERTHA M. WALTON

Miss Bertha M. Walton, daughter of the late W. T. and Mrs. Anna C. Walton, died Sunday morning, May 21. The funeral was conducted Monday afternoon at 4:15 o'clock by her pastor, the Rev. Joseph T. Allen, in the presence of a large number of relatives and sympathetic friends. Her grave was literally covered with beautiful floral designs as a mark of respect.

—Mrs. L. D. Handy of Bristol, Va., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Temple, Broad St.

Needs Of Rural Public Health Work Outlined

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 24.—Need of greater expenditures and more efficiency in rural public health work and of more emphasis on the technical qualifications of health officers was represented by speakers before the section of preventive medicine of the American Medical Association here today. Dr. Matthias Nicol, of the State Health Department of New York, was one of those who contributed to a discussion of how scientific methods may prevent disease. Dr. A. J. Warren, of Topeka, Kans., said that the application of sanitary and hygienic principles by municipal health officers has greatly improved life expectancy in urban districts during the last ten years.

Dr. Warren added that in the same period rural districts have not progressed satisfactorily, and expressed the belief that equal expenditures and

Less College Drinking Reports By 308 Show

BOSTON, May 23.—Drinking among college students has diminished materially since the eighteenth amendment was enacted, and in a majority of colleges that were canvassed drinking has practically disappeared, according to President F. C. Southwick, of the Middlebury Theological school. His report of an investigation was made today to the Unitarian Temperance society.

A circular letter was sent to the deans of 486 American colleges. The report said that the number of the 208 replies was overwhelmingly in the effect that there had been marked decrease during the past three years.

"In the vast majority of American colleges the drink problem has ceased to exist," the report said. "It will continue to be a problem in some of the metropolitan colleges until the law is more successfully enforced in the cities themselves."

"One of the most interesting bits of information elicited from the replies was the fact that among the colleges for negroes the drinking problem had never existed."

"In the 20 women's colleges to which, for the sake of completeness, an inquiry was addressed, drinking has never been a problem. The officers of these colleges are utterly without knowledge of the consumption of liquor of any kind by the students in attendance."

There were among the colleges for men, however, 13 exceptions to the prevailing opinion. "Thirteen institutions, representing 44,741 students, either reported or implied an increase in the consumption of liquor since the passage of the amendment."

Tammany Chiefs Find Hearst Won't Do As A Candidate

This Explains Sudden Talk About Hylan for the Nomination for Governor—Sure Hearst Would Bolt If Smith Were Named.

NEW YORK, May 23.—Tammany chiefs, who have been making a round-up of public sentiment in and out of this city, have been advised that if William Randolph Hearst is nominated for governor, there will be a split in the Democratic party which will jeopardize all chances of success in the state elections.

They have been told that both among their own followers and upstate, such a prejudice exists against the publisher that thousands of votes which could be expected for the ordinary Democratic candidate would be lost.

This belief of the leaders explains the sudden popularity of John F. Hylan, who has obtained within the last few days as a candidate, and why every effort will be made to prevent Hearst from forcing the mortgage he holds on the city Democratic machine.

The leaders have been led to believe that if Hearst is not nominated, and particularly if a nomination for governor should be tendered to Al Smith, that Hearst would bolt and that the success of the Republican candidate would thereby be made certain. Therefore they are seeking a candidate other than Hearst who would be acceptable to the publisher, and the only man they have been able to hit on is Hylan.

This represents the situation as it was outlined yesterday by one of the oldest and wisest men in Tammany. It is realized that upstate, where the Tammany National Forest and is easy of access and suitable for paper making.

The forest lies along the east shore of Ithaca Canal just North of Ketchikan. The tract under contract covers 56,000 acres and is 60 per cent spruce and hemlock, the remainder cedar and pine.

Alaska's gold is likely to vanish long before her forests, according to recent surveys. The coast timber lands of the southeastern parts of the territory, including the national forests of Tongue and Chugach, comprise 56,000 acres. All this timber is located within reach of tide water and most of the trees are marketable either as manufactured lumber or as wood pulp.

There is a large supply of red and yellow cedar from tall, straight trees which has been found to be of value in furniture and pencil making. Lead pencils require a fine grained, soft wood susceptible of high polish and finish. Furniture manufactured from the yellow Alaska cedar is a pungent odor so desirable for bureau drawers, chests and closet shelves.


The forestry service reports there are over forty varieties of trees that possess marketable value and which will some day add to the world's supply of timber and lumber.

Negro Breaks All Records By Escaping Mob

(By The Associated Press.) IRWINTON, Ga., May 24.—Jim Denson, a negro, is believed to have broken all lynching records by escaping from the mob after a rope had been placed about his neck, is reported to be attempting to elude a sheriff's posse and to reach the Macon mob-proof jail.

WILL PREACH TOMORROW.

Elder Jull, of Atlanta, Ga., and his son, who are passing through here will preach on Thursday night at the Primitive Baptist church in North Danville at eight o'clock.



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Ford Rival Accepts Muscle Shoals Plan

WASHINGTON, May 23.—An offer to comply with terms of the contract negotiated between the war department and the Alabama Power company who nits plant at Gorgas enlarged to supply power for the nitrate plant at Muscle Shoals, Ala., during the war has been made to Secretary Weeks by representatives of the company here. The offer is contained in a proposal to pay \$2,500,000 for the government's interest in the plant, and an extension of line from Gorgas to Muscle Shoals.

Notice that the proposal had been received was given the Senate agriculture committee today by Secretary Weeks, after the examination of Hugh Cooper, New York civilian engineer and post-graduate school and through experience in the control of communicable diseases in the securing of healthful housing conditions.

Dr. W. S. Rankin, health officer of North Carolina, maintained that the medical profession must be organized to aid in the prevention of disease.

Alaska Sells More Wood Pulp Timber

SEATTLE, Wash., May 23.—Enough wood pulp can be cut in Alaska to supply the entire paper print of the nation for all time, according to the Forestry service, which has just completed more contracts with the Alaska-American Paper Co. for the sale of millions of cords of timber. This wood is located in the Tongass National Forest and is easy of access and suitable for paper making.

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Dean of Southern Baseball Men Dies

Charles Frank, One of Southern Association's Founders, Succumbs in Memphis.

(By The Associated Press.) MEMPHIS, May 23.—Charles Frank, a Southern baseball figure died here today after a long illness.

Charles Frank, dean of Southern baseball men and one of the founders of the Southern Association, began his baseball career as a pitcher for a semi-professional team at Mobile, Alabama, his home, in 1892 and achieved such success during that season that he was selected to tour Cuba the following year as a member of a picked club of professional players.

After the trip to Cuba Frank joined the St. Louis Browns as a pitcher but his ability as a batsman caused him to be shifted to the outfield where he played for two years. From St. Louis he went to Columbus and then to St. Paul in the American Association.

Frank came to Memphis as manager of an independent club after a year with St. Paul. This connection until 1900 when, with the late Mike Finn, Abner Powell, Newt Fisher and others he organized the present Southern Association.

From that time on, with the exception of two years, he served as manager for a Southern Association club. In 1901 he took over the management of the Memphis team and held that job for three years, winning the pennant in 1903. When he severed his connection with the Memphis team he left his successor, Lew Whistler, the nucleus of another pennant winner with which Whistler won the championship in 1904.

From Memphis Frank went to New Orleans and piloted the Pelicans for ten seasons in which time he won three pennants. After the tenth year Frank resigned as manager of the New Orleans club and for two years acted as scout for the Cleveland American league club. Frank returned south at the start of the 1917 season at the head of the Atlanta club as president-manager. He remained with that club until the early part of 1922 when, owing to failing health, he was forced to retire. After spending the greater part of the winter and spring in Bay St. Louis, Miss., Frank returned to Memphis in May to be with relatives here.

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Six-Ply Non-Skid Clincher Cord 30 x 3 1/2—\$17.85	Six-Ply Non-Skid Cord 31 x 4—\$27.00	Non-Skid Cord 34 x 5—\$1.50

feeding the dreaded storm are the symptoms of women's diseases which point the way to physical and mental breakdown. The nervous irritability, the backache, the dragging pains, are not only hard to endure but they bring certain knowledge of collapse unless some relief is found to relieve the sufferer. There is one standard remedy which has shown the way out for nearly fifty years. The women who have "come back" through the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound believe it is stronger than words could ever be—adv.

Be Careful What You Wash Your Child's Hair With

Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali, which is very injurious, as it dries the scalp and makes the hair brittle.

The best thing to use is Mulshed coconut oil shampoo, for this is pure and entirely harmless. It's very cheap and beats anything else all to pieces. You can get Mulshed at any drug store, and a few ounces will last the whole family for months.

Simply lather the hair with water and rub it in, about a teaspoonful of Mulshed is all that is required. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, cleanses thoroughly and rinses out easily. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and is soft, frothy, pink, bright, fluffy, wavy, and easy to handle. It rinses and takes out every particle of dust, dirt and dandruff. Be sure your druggist gives you Mulshed—adv.

Holiness Preacher Flogged In Georgia

PELHAM, Ga., May 23.—The Rev. H. G. Toles, a Holiness preacher, who for several weeks has been conducting meetings in a tent 5 miles west of here, was flogged by a party of masked men early Sunday, it is learned today. County authorities announced they were investigating and expected soon to make arrests.

About an hour before sunrise Sunday, it was said, the preacher, a crippled man, was awakened by men who surrounded his tent and commanded him to arise and dress. He obeyed and was taken some distance away, where he was forced to lie face downward across a log.

A severe beating was administered, he declared, and when he began to cry out in prayer, pistols were pointed at him and he was threatened with death if he made further noise.

This was the second affair of the kind. Several weeks ago the Rev. D. A. Warr, also a Holiness preacher, with his family, was forced to leave the community by masked men. A number of citizens are assisting the officials in their efforts to ascertain the identity of the mob members.

MOUNT VERNON WINS

The Mount Vernon Sunday school baseball team yesterday afternoon defeated the Cabell street Eureka class by the score of 11 to 10. The victorious Mount Vernon were Pennell, Harnsberger and Crews and for Cabell street McCubbins and Norton.

—Mrs. J. L. Tunstall left Monday for Richmond, to attend the historical pageant.


—Misses Gertrude Glenn and Elizabeth Thomas, of Stoneville, N. C., are the guests of Mrs. Posey Ashworth, Pine Street.

—Miss Genevieve Hazelwood has returned from Chattanooga, Tenn., spending three months in the South.

Nation's Bankers Meet In Paris

(By The Associated Press.) PARIS, May 24.—Leading bankers from many nations, with J. P. Morgan as American representative, are meeting here to discuss financial means of the settlement of the European situation, with a loan to Germany considered one of the first measures necessary.

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Listening On Wire. Police Hear Cries Of Shooting Victim

NEW YORK, May 23.—An officer of the Richmond Hill telephone exchange sensed something was wrong when she found the receiver had been taken from the hook in the home of Mrs. Amy Pettit, on St. Ann's avenue, Richmond Hill, last night, and was able to get any response, notice Queens Police headquarters.

When the operator at the latter place listened he heard a woman at the Pettit phone scream: "My God, I shot me!"

Detective Capt. Morris and a dozen patrolmen found Mrs. Pettit in a chair in the living room. She had been shot in the left arm.

Mrs. Pettit told Capt. Morris that when she returned from a shopping trip and reached the second floor hallway a man sprang from a corner and shot her. Police surrounded the house for hours but were unable to find her assailant. She was taken to Jamaica hospital in a serious condition.

The girls were with a party of five young men, three of whom dived overboard in an effort to save the girls and two of them narrowly escaped the same fate.

Charles McAttee tried to drown Mrs. Pettit, a young woman who was unable to swim, dived overboard, carrying a life preserver, and was hauled out unconscious by the crew of a second motorboat which went to the rescue.

The girls left the launch, which was 20-foot cabin cruiser, and were riding in a small flat bottom skiff which was trailing behind. Mrs. Butler, it was said, moved to the front of the skiff and the small craft foundered. Before the motorboat could stop the girls were floating some distance away. The bodies have not been recovered.

—Miss Elizabeth Black has returned home from a visit of several weeks to relatives in Richmond.

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 - \$1.98 Large-size Wheelbarrow \$1
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 - \$1.25 14-qt. Graye Enamelled Dish Pans, 2 for \$1
- 3-piece Shaving Stand set—take advantage of our low price .. \$1
 - \$2.50 value, 6 cups and 6 saucers, the non-breakable kind .. \$1
 - No. 3, largest size Galvanized Wash Tubs .. \$1
 - Red Phone, something new for the kiddies—a real telephone .. \$1
 - Extra Large Cooking Pots, enameled .. \$1

BOB HORNE TO MAKE BRITAIN PAY U. S. DEBT

LONDON, May 24.—"America must be paid."

This is now the watchword of the man who is responsible for the finances of Great Britain, Sir Robert Horne, chancellor of the exchequer and one of the "protégés" of Premier Lloyd George.

Horne is a hardheaded Scottish lawyer, who does not give anything away. He had adopted this as his sound business.

Recently he appointed a committee of experts to go into the matter for him. They made their inquiries at home and abroad and decided that the one and only way to secure the British credit and British industry to the position they had occupied before the war was to meet down to the last farthing the obligations of Great Britain, particularly those to the United States.

According to that, "Bob" Horne, as he is called by his friends, settled down to make his new budget.

He was faced with a loud clamor for retrenchment, led by the powerful Northcliffe press, and in their eagerness to have lighter burdens for themselves British taxpayers did not pay too much attention to "Bob" or other forecasts. Horne turned down their "minimum" demand so he could have sufficient revenue to meet the current interest due on the American debt, and so there should be available in the near future sufficient surplus to start a sinking fund to be earmarked for the gradual paying off of the debt to America.

He had a hard fight for his policy in the British cabinet, because there were colleagues who thought more of the insistent clamor of their supporters than of the claims of America.

But the influence of Lloyd George was cast on the side of his friend and the opposition in the cabinet gave way. Horne has got his budget through.

The rise of Horne to the front rank of British politics is something of a romance. The son of a Scottish parson, a doctor of philosophy, and ultimately a lawyer, his name was unknown to nine out of every ten "Vanderbilt" paper readers when he came to London at the outbreak of war.

At that time Lloyd George was on the lookout for men of "push and go" as he called them, to help him organize the nation for victory. By chance he met Horne, and was so impressed that he placed him in service.

Escaped Motor Thief Is Taken In Norfolk

RALEIGH, N. C., May 24.—Russell Bryson, sentenced from Davidson county last August to serve three years in the state prison for theft of an automobile, and escaped October 20, was apprehended in Norfolk last week, and will be returned to complete his sentence tomorrow.

Bryson was taken in Norfolk on an automobile larceny charge, and was recognized by the police of that city from photographs sent out by Superintendent P. M. Deputy Warden Honeycutt left yesterday to bring the prisoner back to Raleigh. He will be tried in Virginia before being returned here, and upon completion of his sentence will be turned over to the Virginia authorities.

"There is no closed season for mouths," says

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that the United States, Great Britain, France, Italy and Japan are not un-

mindful of the obligations assumed here is found in the appointment of the representatives of the five powers on the Commission of Jurists which is to study the rules of warfare with a view to determine whether modifications are required to adequately cover new methods of warfare developed during the World War.

The United States has communicated with non-signatory powers with regard to other conference agreements which were to be formally brought to their attention.

No disposition is shown in official quarters here to hurry matters. On the contrary, it is recognized that the European Foreign Offices are beset with many other problems which press for solution, while the work of the Washington Conference has been an accomplished fact for a period of months.

No affirmative steps will be taken by the United States in the direction of scrapping completed capitulations and unfinished vessels condemned under the five-over naval treaty until that instrument has been ratified by Great Britain, France, Japan and Italy and ratifications formally exchanged.

STANTON, May 23.—Pleading "not guilty" to the charge of the murder of Joseph Quinn, 25-year-old farmer, of Deerfield Valley, Friday, March 17, J. B. Stout, United States mail carrier on the Marlboro Valley-Deerfield route, in Circuit court today based his defense on self-defense.

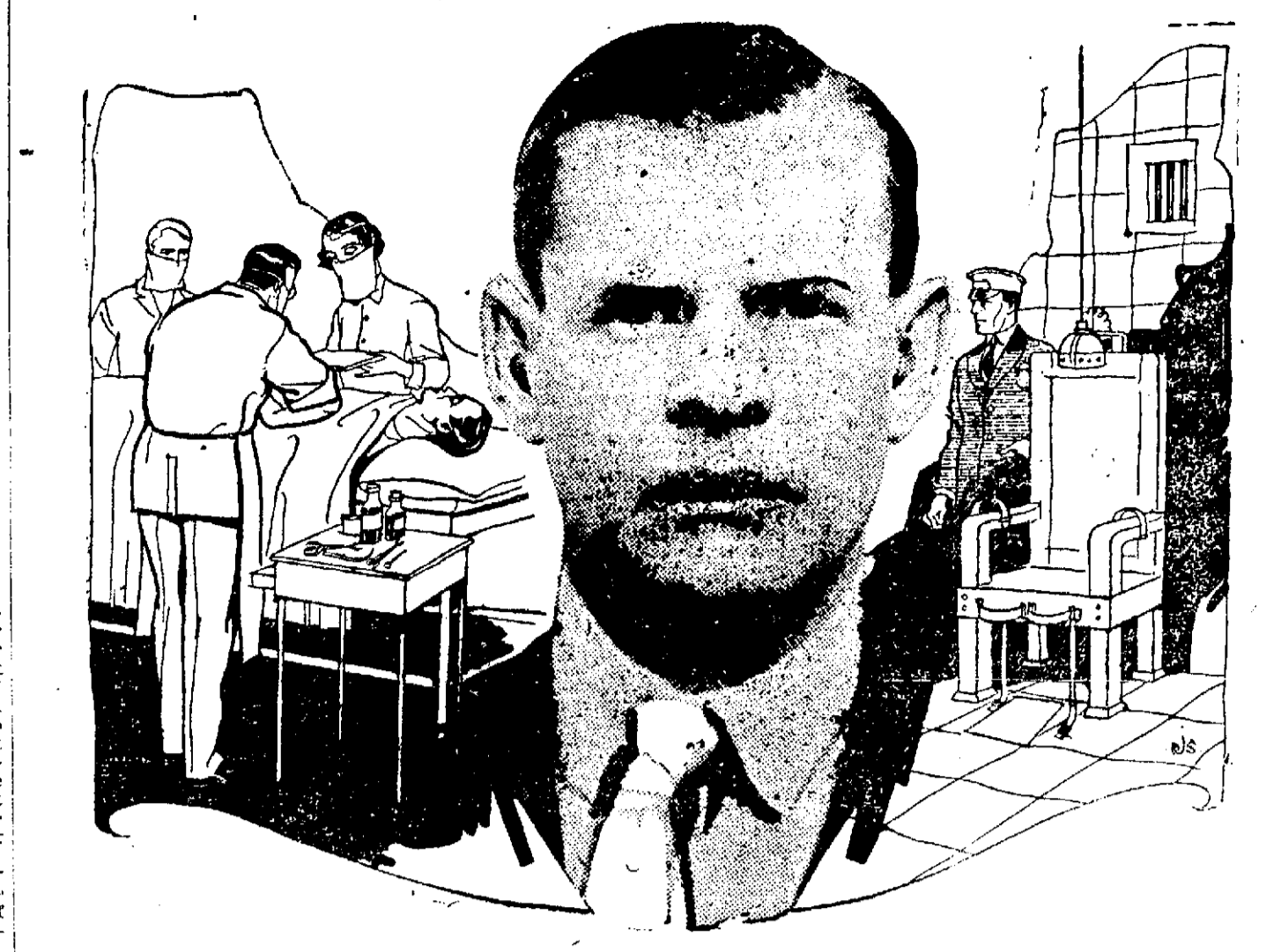
Stout, who appeared confident and calm during the opening proceedings, was accompanied into court today by his wife and son, who were both deeply moved by the proceedings.

Mrs. Quinn, the young widow of the dead man, did not appear before court during the morning but was placed on the stand during the afternoon. She was in the house when the shooting occurred. She told of "bad blood" between the two men and broke down and cried once during the trial. The jury this afternoon was taken to the scene of the murder. The courthouse was crowded today with interested spectators from all sections of the county and neighbors, over 75 in number were sworn in to testify in this case. Stout on his part was accompanied in the company of the jury and the regular venire having been exhausted without a jury of 12 jurors, a supplementary jury of 10 was summoned. Eight of whom were sworn in. Of the 10 witnesses summoned, about 15 will testify for the prosecution, the remainder being called by the defense. The case may reach the jury Saturday.

Pageant Loses Rain Insurance

RICHMOND, Va., May 23.—The Pageant Association of the city of Dan, England, barely escaped the payment of all its claims for insurance of \$2,000 in this case, for the last night's rainstorm. The storm came at 8:30, five minutes after the expiration of the insurance period. If the rain had come at 8 o'clock, instead of a few minutes past, the pageant would have been the winner. As things stand now, the pageant pays to the insurance association a premium to cover last night's performance and gets nothing in return.

OPERATION TO SAVE MAN FOR CHAIR MAY SAVE HIM FROM CHAIR



ND SENTENCED TO DIE IN THE ELECTRIC CHAIR. RUTGER B. WARDER, CONVICTED OF MURDER AND THE SCENE IN THE OPERATING ROOM AT SING SING WHEN HE WAS OPERATED ON FOR APPENDICITIS.

BY EDWARD M. THIERRY

NEW YORK, May 24.—Is it more humane to let a condemned man die of illness or to use medical and surgical science to save him for death by execution?

Is the anesthesia of surgery a humane way of determining the guilt or innocence of a condemned man? These questions, arising out of the strange case of Rutger B. Warder, are troubling lawyers, physicians, psychologists and humanitarians.

Warder, convicted of murdering Henry Werner, a Herkimer county farmer, is the first person in 31 years to be taken from the death house at Sing Sing to undergo an operation to save him from a natural death in order that he might die a legal death in the electric chair.

That the law might not be cheated he was rushed to the operating room and Dr. Amos O. Squire operated on him for appendicitis. And under the other Warder murmured these start-

ling words: "I never killed anybody!"

Now he is recovering. And one more court effort is being made to save him from the chair. The operation was successful, and he now awaits a final court appeal.

"Warder probably would have died had we not operated," said Dr. Squire. "There is no question in my mind that the proper medical procedure is to correct a serious malady no matter if the victim is doomed to die by execution."

"It isn't only a question of not letting death cheat the chair. It gives more days of grace—and in Warder's case it is significant that under the anesthetic he repeated his declarations of innocence. I think he is innocent—and the mother of the murdered man said the same thing in a letter asking for clemency."

Thomas Mott Osborne, former warden of Sing Sing and nationally famous for his prison reform work, said:

"It is absurd to save a guilty man by surgery only that the law may kill him. But if incidentally it helps to establish his innocence it is another matter. It only shows how ridiculous is the rigid application of such a law as capital punishment."

Grace Humiston, one of the most noted women lawyers in the country, believes such surgery is humane and that anesthesia is capable of making a man tell the truth.

"The subconscious mind always gets the truth," she said. "While there is life there is hope, and it is certainly humane to save a life by surgery if only for the slender hope that something may develop at the eleventh hour to establish the man's innocence. I believe in the abolition of the death penalty."

"What is needed is a public defender of as high legal attainments and salary as prosecuting attorneys so that mistakes and problems of this sort will not occur."

A spider alters its web every 24 hours.

U. S. Only Power To Ratify All The Recent Treaties

Washington Officials Believe the Genoa Conference Caused Others to Postpone Action.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—The Arms Conference adjourned since Feb. 6. Up to date the United States is the only power that has ratified all the treaties growing out of the epoch-making gathering. China has ratified the two treaties—customs and open door—which directly affect the Chinese republics. Japan has ratified the Shanghai agreement, but that was really apart from the conference.

State Department officials have received no intimation from the other powers as to the probable date when ratification will take place. Administration officers to question the motives of the other participating powers in delaying ratification. Not the slightest hint of ulterior motives has been proved from any quarter. Officials generally are inclined to believe that the ending of the Genoa Conference so soon after the adjournment of the Washington conference, coupled with the long debate in the Senate over the four-power pact, operated to postpone action in European capitals and in Tokyo.

It was recalled by officials tonight that even before the adjournment of the Washington Conference members of the five powers of the foreign powers left for their capitals to assist in the work of preparing for the Genoa gathering. British, French, Belgian, Italian and Japanese statesmen have been deeply engrossed in development of Genoa.

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WOULD HARNESS JORDAN

NEW YORK, May 23.—The waters of the American soldier pot, Alan B. of the River Jordan will be transformed into light and power for Palestine, under a plan announced today by the Jewish Joint Distribution Committee, which is assisting in financing

two great hydraulic plants. Pinchus Rutenberg, a Russian engineer, has informed members of the committee that he has British concessions which will permit construction of one plant in the Jaffa district and another further down the river. It is estimated that 1,000,000 horsepower will be available and that 8,000 men eventually will be employed.

A total investment of \$1,000,000 will be required for the work, according to Mr. Rutenberg. The Jewish Committee pledged \$200,000 on condition that not less than one-half of the entire appropriation for the work be raised abroad.

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Duncan, rf.	3	0	1	0	0	0
Davis, lf.	3	0	2	1	0	0
Floyd, 1b.	3	0	2	2	1	0
Johnson, 3b.	3	1	1	3	2	0
Bandrimer, 2b.	3	0	0	2	3	0
Lernox, ss.	4	1	3	2	3	0
Keller, c.	4	0	1	5	1	0
Gibson, p.	4	1	1	0	0	0
Totals	31	5	11	27	14	0
Danville	Ab.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Baker, ss.	4	0	0	1	4	1
Smith, 2b.	4	0	1	3	8	0
Holmes, 1b.	4	0	0	19	2	0
Trexler, lf.	4	0	0	1	1	0
Clarke, cf.	3	0	1	0	1	1
Abbott, c.	3	0	0	8	2	0
Bashore, rf.	3	0	0	3	0	0
McNiff, 3b.	3	0	1	1	3	0
Megalis, p.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Rodgers, p.	2	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	29	1	4	27	18	2

Score by innings: R. Raleigh 000 100 220—5; Danville 100 000 000—1. Summary—Two base hits, McGinnis; Gibson, Winston. Home runs: Lernox. Sacrifice hits: Johnson, Bandrimer, Drimer, to Floyd. Floyd. Double plays: Smith to Baker to Holmes to McNiff. Holmes, unassisted. Hits off: Megalis 2 in 4 innings; off Rodgers 4 in 5 innings. Struck out by Gibson 4; by Megalis 4; by Rodgers 3. Bases on balls: off Megalis 4; off Rodgers 2; off Gibson 1. Left on bases: Raleigh 5; Danville 2. Earned runs: Raleigh 5; Danville 1. First base on error: Raleigh 2. Time of game 1:54. Umpires Coffey and O'Keefe. Attendance 909.

Baseball Notes

Rodgers did it.
Two out of three is fair enough.
The team, even though crippled, is in a hitting slump.
Twelve hits in three games, and yet Danville won two out of three.
The team is in a hitting slump—the worst it has yet shown for three consecutive games.

Those ambitious Hipsters won't stop for anybody. Wait till they come here. They'll get a crimp in their climb.
In the three-game series with Raleigh, Trexler hit one hit in twice up batted .500, but Trexler in all three games made three hits in 8 times up and is the real leader with .375 for the series. Abbott is next, with 2 hits in 5 times up, an average of .250; Holmes next with 2 hits in 9 times up, and McNiff and Clarke, each up 8 times, got one hit and an average of .125, while Smith, with one bungle in nine times up hit .112, and Baker with one hit in 10 times up batted .100. Bashore, Green Rodgers and Megalis did not get a hit.

The team's batting average for the last three games on the home diamond is only .113—hardly sufficient to justify expectations of winning all three. Assuming that the pitching has been excellent, except that of Rodgers yesterday, it will take more batting to win.
Taking reasonable chances wins games, not reckless ones. Spells defeat. The Tobaccos must learn to profit more by their scoring opportunities.

Magalis could hardly have done worse had he been allowed to finish the fray. True he is down with a cold in the fourth and was lucky to escape with but one score against him. At least he is not chargeable with losing the game and may regard the displacement complacently.
Outfielder Winston, a left-handed batsman, who leads the Raleigh list, is not only a dangerous batsman, but a fast and finished fielder. He played the leading part in stopping Danville rallies yesterday.

Clarke hit well yesterday and but for a sensational catch would have been credited with two two-baggers.
Three of the four hits Gibson yielded came after two were out. He only walked one man, and that passed into the only run scored off him.
Catcher Abbott has plenty of nerve and has twice in two days trapped runners with his short throw to second, while a runner was on third. He and Baker work the throw and return admirably.

Even with a badly crippled team, Manager Abbott and his squad of fighting Tobaccos managed to cop both ends of a double bill Monday, but in both a lack of luck and unusually effective pitching enabled the locals to come off victors. Eight hits in fourteen innings constitute a total which does not look like the hard-hitting bunch of ten days ago. Now that Manager Abbott himself has attained something like his normal batting stride, the weakness due to the crippled condition of the team is somewhat offset. Tuesday Danville got 4 hits and lost.

The first weakening of a well-balanced team was, of course, the disqualification of Duffy, who, while not a hard hitter was an unusually steady man both in fielding and batting and was a cool, heady player. Then Earl Worth, first baseman and a dangerous batsman, left the team, ostensibly for his home at Rahway, N. J. Whether he is under suspension merely while undergoing surgical or medical treatment, as at first rumored, or has quit the team is not definitely established, save so far as his continued absence may be so regarded. It is reported that the first baseman was dissatisfied because, as alleged, another player on the team had a contract calling for more money, but this may be a merely speculative or conjectural explanation of his quitting. He may return, but inquiry fails to develop any basis for such a belief. While not authoritatively stated, it is understood that he will be allowed to resume his place at first, should he conclude to return. His absence is being felt in the offense as well as in the defense as well as in his fast defensive work at the initial sack.

The injury to Third Baseman Regan, assigned to that bag after the disqualification of Duffy under the player "Class" rule, is another serious handicap following Worth's quitting. Regan, who was hit on the head by a pitched ball Saturday at Winston-Salem by Pitcher Tom Green, is undergoing treatment at a local hospital to reduce the removal of the bone caused by the blow from the ball. Nobody undertakes to predict how soon or how long he may be able to resume play.

Meanwhile in the emergency due to the loss of Worth and Regan in the last list, Outfielder Clarke, of last year's team, who began this season with Durham, whence he came to Danville with Atkinson and Worth in 1921, has been signed and is playing

BABE RUTH SAYS, "SURE, I WILL BEAT OUT KEN WILLIAMS"



BABE RUTH BACK IN THE GAME

BY BOB DORMAN
NEW YORK, May 21.—It's the heart behind the bat that lifts the horsehide over the garden wall when Babe Ruth swings.
And Judge Landis hasn't weakened the bannino's great heart any.
Ruth is swinging just as hard as ever, but a little bit too eagerly.
The over-eagerness is explained by his desire to overtake Ken Williams, who has taken advantage of Ruth's enforced absence from the game to pile up a big lead on the home-run king.
"But I'll reach him," says Babe. "I hope he goes wrong; the stronger he goes, the better it will be for me. Just like a harness horse that's being raced by a runner.
"It's great to be back in the game. I'd about as soon be in the death-house in Sing Sing as be barred from the diamond for good.
"Of course, swinging in the grand stand might be regarded as some compensation by some. But to me it was just like a starving man standing in front of the display window of a Forty-Second street eating house. "I'll soon show the world I'm on my stride, and better than ever. Tell that to the boys who refuse the balls to get into the tall 'ol 'ol'."

right field, while Bashore is assigned to center.

A promising young infielder named McNiff, who opened this season with Durham at second base and played in two games there, has been signed and played third base Monday and Tuesday. His fielding was acceptable, even though he made some errors on balls he tried to trap in the second game. His work at bat was not impressive, however. While with Durham he only played in two games, getting a bungle in five times up in his first game, and another in four times up in the second. He made one hit yesterday.

Bashore in center has not yet demonstrated the experience and the batting power desirable in an outfielder.

The local management is making definite efforts to strengthen the crippled team. The wires are being kept busy in an effort to secure players at this critical stage of the season. In the matter of pitching, the team is unusually weak. Having lost during the last efficient and best string of hurlers which any of the Piedmont teams can boast. The team is winning by the strength of its battery work.

With one game today at 4:15, followed by a single series on Thursday, Danville will have a fine chance to strengthen its lead, but for the crippled condition of the team. Pitcher Atkinson has probably not yet reached his mid-season efficiency, but Harris, Rodgers, Green and Stiller are all working in excellent form. Harris and Rodgers are valuable as batsmen, too, and either can do utility work in the outfield in an emergency. In fact, either could land an outfield berth on almost any Piedmont League team.

Club Standing

Club	Piedmont	W.	L.	Pct.
Danville	11	9	559	
Raleigh	16	10	506	
High Point	10	7	588	
Greensboro	9	7	561	
Winston-Salem	9	10	474	
Durham	8	11	421	
Club	American	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	24	13	649	
St. Louis	21	14	600	
Philadelphia	16	16	509	
Cleveland	17	18	486	
Detroit	16	17	485	
Washington	16	19	444	
Boston	13	17	433	
Chicago	13	21	382	
Club	National	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	20	12	625	
Pittsburg	18	12	609	
St. Louis	15	15	509	
Chicago	16	16	500	
Cincinnati	14	18	500	
Brooklyn	15	18	455	
Philadelphia	11	18	379	
Boston	11	19	367	
Club	Southern	W.	L.	Pct.
Birmingham	25	13	639	
Mobile	24	15	615	
Little Rock	21	15	583	
Memphis	20	18	526	
New Orleans	20	19	513	
Nashville	17	21	447	
Chattanooga	16	23	399	
Atlanta	12	23	343	
Club	Virginia	W.	L.	Pct.
Portsmouth	16	11	593	
Winston	16	12	571	
Rocky Mount	14	12	538	
Norfolk	13	14	481	
Newport News	13	14	481	
Richmond	13	15	464	
Club	South Atlantic	W.	L.	Pct.
Columbia	18	7	720	
Charleston	14	9	649	
Spartanburg	14	12	478	
Charlotte	11	12	478	
Augusta	10	16	385	
Greenville	8	19	321	

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
Greensboro at Durham
Raleigh at High Point
Winston-Salem at Danville.

PATRIOTS-TWINS DIVIDE HONORS

Winston	Ab.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Koval, ss.	3	1	1	0	1	0
O'Hara, 1b.	3	1	1	0	4	3
Heck, 2b.	3	0	0	4	3	2
Hilbeck, c.	3	1	1	2	1	0
Morback, lf.	3	1	0	0	0	0
Whitman, cf.	3	0	0	3	0	0
Ringle, rf.	3	1	1	3	0	0
Myers, 3b.	3	1	1	4	2	0
Pisner, p.	4	0	0	1	3	0
Totals	30	7	8	27	20	4
Greensboro	Ab.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Merrier, lf.	4	0	1	1	0	0
Dannelly, cf.	4	0	1	1	0	0
Carroll, 2b.	4	0	0	0	3	0
Dunnison, lf.	3	0	1	3	0	0
Teague, 2b.	4	0	2	1	0	0
Dorman, ss.	4	0	1	2	3	0
Sessions, 1b.	3	1	1	4	3	0
Honeycutt, c.	2	0	1	0	0	0
Saddler, p.	3	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	31	1	8	27	14	0

Score by innings: R. Winston 000 100 003—3; Greensboro 001 000 000—1. Summary—Two-base hits, Merrier, Koval, O'Hara. Home runs, Hilbeck; Sacrifice hits, Honeycutt, O'Hara, Heck. Double plays, Koval to Heck to O'Hara; Struck out by Saddler, 2; Bases on balls off Fisher, 1, off Saddler, 2. Time of game 1:40. Umpires Daugherty and Kelly. Attendance 1,100.
SECOND GAME
Winston Ab. R. H. P. A. E.
Koval, ss. 4 0 0 2 0 0
O'Hara, 1b. 4 1 3 1 0 1
Heck, 2b. 4 0 0 0 4 1
Hilbeck, c. 3 0 1 3 0 1
Morback, lf. 3 0 1 1 0 0
Whitman, cf. 3 0 1 0 0 0
Ringle, rf. 3 0 1 0 0 0
Myers, 3b. 3 0 1 0 2 0
Harris, p. 2 0 0 0 3 1
Anderson, 1 0 1 0 0 0
Ormand, 0 0 0 0 0 0
Totals 29 1 9 18 11 4
Score by innings: R. Winston 000 001 000—1; Greensboro 000 100 000—2. Summary—Two-base hits, O'Hara, Teague; Three-base hits, O'Hara, Sacrifice hits, Dannelly, Teague; Double plays, Dorman to Cox, Teague to Cox; Struck out by Harris, 1, by Hattenstine, 4. Bases on balls off Harris, 5; off Hattenstine, 1. Time of game 1:20. Umpires Kelly and Daugherty. Attendance 1,100.

HEINE BOLL SOLD

MOBILE, May 23.—Heine Boll, former shortstop of the Mobile Southern Association team, has been sold to the Augusta, Georgia, Club of the South Atlantic league. The announcement of the sale was made by President R. M. Weinacker of the local club.

FINDS NEW PACIFIC ISLES

HONOLULU, May 22.—Word of the discovery of islands in the south Pacific, hitherto unknown and now claimed in the name of the United States was received here today. The islands were reported claimed by Lorton A. Thurston, a Honolulu publisher, who was cruising in the power boat, Palmyra.
He said he found the islands on May 16 in the vicinity of Kingman's Reef. Their location was described as latitude 6 23 north, longitude 162-15 west. The publisher told of an excellent harbor, which, in his opinion, provided a natural landing, suitable for a fuel station.

More than two-thirds of the people in India are Hindus.

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NEW YORK, May 23.—The board of aldermen today adopted an ordinance requiring all motorists to carry traffic violation cards decorated with their photographs. The cards have spaces in which traffic policemen will make marks for the first four minor infractions of the law. When the four spaces are filled up, the motorists will have to be good or appear in traffic court.

Baseball Results

Piedmont League	At Danville 1: Raleigh 5.
American	At Greensboro 1-6; Winston Salem 2-1.
National	At Durham 2: High Point 3.
Southern Association	At Boston 2: Cleveland 5.
American Association	At New York 3: St. Louis 11.
Virginia League	At Philadelphia 5: Detroit 6.
Florida State League	At Washington 3: Chicago 2.
Appalachian League	At Buffalo 6-5; Rochester 1-1.
At Toronto 5: Syracuse 9.	At Reading 4: Newark 3.
At Baltimore 5: Jersey City 6.	At Memphis-Atlanta rain.
At Chattanooga 1: Birmingham 10.	At Chattanooga 1: Birmingham 10.
At Little Rock 4: Mobile 6.	At Little Rock 4: Mobile 6.
At Nashville 12: New Orleans 11.	At Nashville 12: New Orleans 11.
At Columbus 4: Louisville 5.	At Toledo 3: Indianapolis 4.
At St. Paul 3: Kansas City 5.	At Minneapolis 6: Milwaukee 7.
At Newport News 3: Rocky Mount 0.	At Richmond 1: Portsmouth 2.
At Norfolk 2: Wilson 1.	At Norfolk 2: Wilson 1.
At Jacksonville 5: Tampa 6-14.	At Jacksonville 5: Tampa 6-14.
At Savannah 7: Orlando 6-14.	At Savannah 7: Orlando 6-14.
Others rain.	Others rain.
At Johnson City 6: Knoxville 5.	At Bristol 5: Greenville 2.
At Cleveland 2: Kingsport 9.	At Cleveland 2: Kingsport 9.

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Church Education Civilization Key

DES MOINES, Ia., May 22.—Christian education held the key to the civilization of the world, declared in the annual report of the Presbyterian General Board of Education, presented today to the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America, by the General Secretary, Dr. Edgar P. Hill, of New York.

"This is the end of the second year of the Challenge Fund of the board for \$35,000,000 to be raised in 1922," Dr. Hill continued. "The first year produced \$5,000,000. The last twelve months added more than \$5,000,000, demonstrating beyond a doubt the value of the challenge fund in stimulating financial campaigns for education."

"Many students in the Christian colleges and candidates for the ministry would have been utterly unable to pursue their studies but for the board's financial aid. One young man was making a dinner of frozen apples in an orchard. Two others in one college room, their food by kitchen waste, but the board had to come to the rescue for their other expenses. During the year 706 students prepared for full-time Christian service have been given scholarship aid. The average amount of \$137.83, totaling \$97,310. Most of this was for industrial students. Rotary loans amounting to \$23,127 were distributed among 176 students. From the soldiers and sailors fund \$25,047 was allotted to 123 students. A total of 1,015 students thus received aid from the board to the amount of \$151,788. Notwithstanding 172 had to quit college because of failing resources. Larger funds are needed by the board for this work."

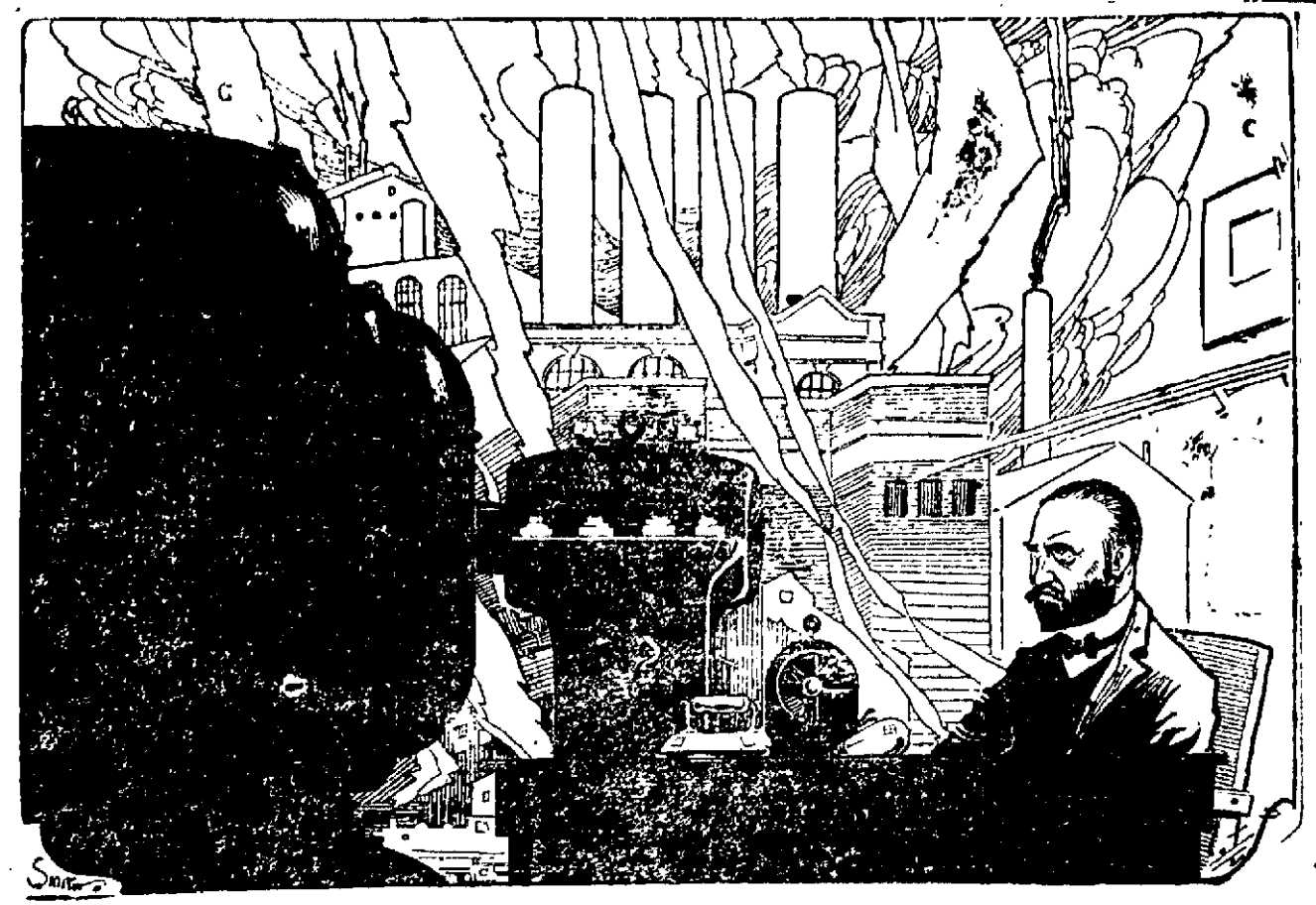
"Student enrollment in Presbyterian colleges has been larger than ever before."

Klux Holds Fiery Initiation In Open

NEW HAVEN, Conn., May 22.—Members of the Ku Klux Klan from many New England cities participated last night in an open air assembly and initiation, held by the Connecticut state Klan. The ceremonies were held on an open hilltop near the town of New Britain. The assembly included those of New Haven, Hartford, Bridgeport, New London, Waterbury, Stamford, Danbury, Meriden and Greenwich. Klan officials were present from Boston, Worcester, Springfield and Pittsfield, Mass.; Providence, R. I.; Manchester, N. H.; Portland, Me. Several Klansmen from Johnston and Brooklyn boroughs, from Newark, N. J., one from Chicago and two from Atlanta, Ga., were present.

For the initiation ceremony the Klansmen were drawn up in the form of a hollow square. The inner ring formed of white robed and hooded men. Behind these were two rows of candidates without masks or robes, and in the rear were several lines of men in white masks only. An 18-foot cross wrapped in white stood at the head of the square. Beside it was a steel frame, which during the initiation blazed forth in colored fireworks representing the American flag.

In the center of the square the altar was erected before which the candidates knelt for initiation. A great cross, its arms hung with couples of small American flags, was erected in a horizontal position above the altar. After all were assembled the "fiery cross" at the head of the square



GERMANY'S IRON MAN REVEALED

(Continued From Page One.)

electric light globe. One could order from it a small electrical tool or a complete lighting and motor plant with the very latest thing in dynamos or turbines. If you wanted to shop for wireless telegraph outfits or telephone system or any one of a hundred ingenious electrical devices, this concern could and would deliver the goods.

It had grown great because of the genius of two men. Theirs is as much a fairy story of business life as that of George Westinghouse or Thomas A. Edison in similar fields in America.

The Siemens concern, for instance, was founded by Werner Siemens in a one-room shop back of a residence in a poor little street in Berlin. He took in as partner a mechanic named Georg Halske. From tinkering with wire repair jobs, they pushed their business until to lay a deep-sea cable or construct the entire telegraph system for the vast Russian empire, was all in the year's work.

About the same time another electrical started out for himself in Nuremberg in southern Germany. This Bavarian founded the great business of Schuckert and Co.

And by and by the two businesses came together and became the Siemens-Schuckert Corporation.

The names of their underlying enterprises are legion. The Siemens wing has immense plants in Berlin, Hamburg, Bremen and Kiel. It owns a separate corporation which makes all kinds of electrical lamps and in its turn owns still other concerns.

The Schuckert concern not only covered Bavaria, but had plants in Mannheim and Dessau. The combine owns subsidiary concerns in Paris, Barcelona and St. Petersburg and on the side operates a big automobile factory, a porcelain works, a steamship building plant and a cable manufacturing plant.

It has tremendous holdings in Dresden and also in Switzerland.

In fact, it is hard to go anywhere in Germany or in the neighboring countries without seeing some of the properties of this electrical trust. By dint of this huge corporation with in the sphere of its influence, Siemens has not only made himself by all odds the biggest business man in Europe, if not in the world, but in the midst of his success has launched himself against one of the few failures in his career.

It was his ambition to unite all the electrical interests of Germany into one all-embracing concern.

To do this it would have been necessary to leave in the far-famed A. E. G., which, as every German knows, stands for the Allgemeine Elektrische Gesellschaft. This is the company which was formed by Emil Rathenau and over which, until he went into politics, the son of the founder, Walter Rathenau, presided. Siemens and Rathenau are sworn enemies and there are three reasons for this feud which enlivens German politics and business:

Capitalism Is Rapped In Speech

EVANSTON, Ill., May 23.—Capitalism as now practiced "is class war," and "destructive of civilization," Prof. John H. Gray of Carleton College, Northfield, Minn., a former president of the American Economic Association, told the Conference on Christianity and the Economic Order here today. The conference was called by leaders of the Methodist Episcopal church. Prof. Gray said in part:

"Capitalism as present practice is class war quite as destructive of civilization as international militarism. In fact, it is the moving force and cause of international aggression and war. It leads to social and political unrest and to such gross injustices as is inconsistent with any Christian civilization."

"Our economic order rests on the theory of private property, freedom of individual contract, and the universality and beneficence of competition. The theories on which we act grew out of circumstances that have entirely disappeared with the appearance and development of capitalism."

"When this system took shape, a society was virtually stagnant, and if the amount of production increased, the surplus went to the producers in fairly equal portions. Rapid invention, discovery and the development of capitalism with its working classes without ownership enormously increased this surplus, caused it to go to the owners of the means of production, to the virtual exclusion of the workers."

"Such a system is incompatible with as wide a political franchise as we have today."

Prof. Gray served at various times as chairman of the Municipal League of the Civic Federation of Chicago, as chairman of the World's Congress Auxiliary on Political Science, and as associate editor of the Economic Bulletin. He was recently a professor at the University of Minnesota.

AMERICAN IS POSSIBLE WINNER OF GOLF EVENT

PRESTWICK, England, May 23.—At the end of the first day's play in the British amateur golf tournament, experts here began to admit the possibility of an American winning the amateur championship.

This was after John G. Anderson, former Massachusetts State champion, played around in excellent form, laying down his approaches with remarkable accuracy and sinking his putts easily, winning his match. His opponent was scarcely a match for him.

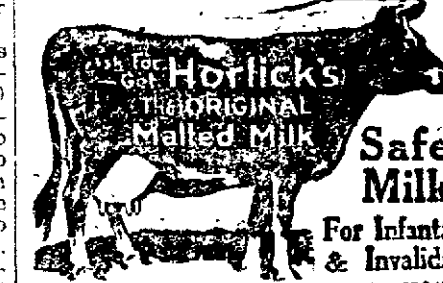
The sensation of the first day's play was the entirely unexpected elimination of Cyril J. H. Trolley, 1920 champion, who lost to Samuel Robinson, the old Lancashire wizard, two up and one down. Trolley got into trouble on the first hole and then again when he struggled with the sand in the Himalayas, as the group of sand hills on the course are called. Trolley made a heroic effort to overcome the lead Robinson had, but failed and was beaten by two holes when they reached No. 17.

Willie Hunter, last year's amateur champion, qualified for the second round easily, defeating Viscount Maidstone seven up and six to go.

The tournament opened with unfavorable weather after a week-end rainstorm and soaked the course. The gallery was small owing to the bad weather and the insolation of Prestwick.

G. A. Dixon, Jr., was the first American to be eliminated.

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Lloyd George's Announcement Awaited With Keen Anxiety

LONDON, May 22.—Interest throughout the world centers this week on the forthcoming speech of David Lloyd George in the House of Commons Thursday. It is held that this will be a milestone in his career. More than that, in the minds of men who take a long view of things, it is regarded as one of the notable moments of history.

Plainly, it is a moment pregnant with large possibilities for England and the rest of Europe. Upon what he says hinges the whole British foreign policy for the future. On his words hang the hopes of thousands of men of every European nationality. Either he holds to his leadership, and Great Britain marches forward undismayed along the road to reconstruction in the pursuit of peace, or disheartened by the futility of the effort, she abandons initiative, backslides on her principles and lets things slide.

In the latter event, it is the conviction of clear-headed men here, the slide will end in a crash that again will shake the world—across that he felt just a surely across the 3,000 miles of the Atlantic ocean as across the 30 miles of the English channel.

It is a critical occasion—and is so felt to be such in France, where a sort of guilty satisfaction in the failure of the Giron conference is evident in the tone of the Paris press and the almost unanimous desire to hold fast to the British friendship upon which, recently, it apparently placed so small a value.

The fatefulness of the moment is accentuated further by the fact that we are on the threshold of the threatened armed descent of France upon the Rhine. Nine more days will tell that story.

Genoa, it is conceded, Lloyd George made the effort of his life. Incontestably, it was the biggest, boldest thing he ever tried—the noblest inspiration of his whole career—and he was thrilled to the bone with it. It swung behind him in Great Britain every element except those personal and political enemies so venomously that hatred of him dominates them wholly.

Labor cheered him on. Liberal opinion in London and the provinces gave him its vigorous support. His caustic critics of the extreme left conceded that, bad as he had been in the past, this time he fought on the side of the angels. The risks of the undertaking—political, personal and national—were pointed out.

From the start it was clear that the odds were heavily against him. Always an appalling task, the chances of success practically vanished when the United States declined to carry him to Genoa. But, thrilled with his vision and inspired by his goal, Lloyd George pushed on.

And the French frustrated him! That little man at the telephone in Paris who never got out into the open at all, plus the whisper of the North cliff press, which blazed away day and night, proved too much for Lloyd George. He could not put his program over. He saved something from the wreck, the war and the peace, but he came home with his head up and his spirits high. There is a terrible clatter in the press about his failure. From all sides his mistakes are being pointed out. The set of critics declares he would have succeeded had he had the nerve to break with the French. Another set says he broke with the French and that is why he did not succeed.

What the prime minister himself will say Thursday is the final thing that group of his friends is urging him to put England free from all embarrassing European alliances, letting the continental nations work out their own salvation or contrive their own collapse. That part of the program represented by Winston Churchill's dead appeal to any compromised attempts to deal with the world.

The one thing the prime minister is certain not to say is that the Giron conference failed. Ahead of him is a note of defiance to those who are disposed to gloat over the wreck. Indicative of his feeling and of his course is the comment of the Garvin, a critic of the Observer, who this morning writes:

"It is better that all the evils of Europe should be brought to open view than that they should fester in secret. Whatever Genoa has done as

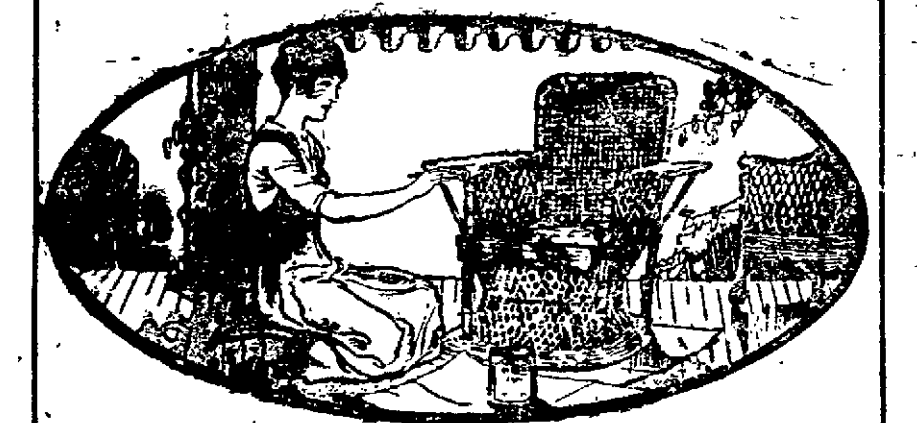
SEEKS ELECTION TO FILL ALEXANDRIA VACANCY

ALEXANDRIA, Va., May 23.—At the request of a number of citizens the members of a local law firm have prepared a petition to Judge Robinson, Member of the Corporation Court, asking him to call a special election November 7, 1922, for the purpose of electing a clerk of the Corporation Court to fill the unexpired term of the late Nevell S. Greenaway, whose new term of office would begin February 1, 1923, and end February 1, 1924.

The members of this firm stated today that they do not believe that the opinion given by the Attorney-General in this case settles the matter. The Attorney-General in a recent opinion submitted in conclusion: "I hesitate to express an official opinion as no doubt it will finally reach the courts for adjudication. However, I am very glad to give you these views as a matter of courtesy to you."

In the event of the failure of Judge Moncre to issue an order calling for a special election to fill the vacancy it was stated today that the matter will be taken to the Court of Appeals for final determination.

Early in May Judge Moncre appointed Elliott F. Hoffman to fill out the unexpired term of Mr. Greenaway. He in the meantime wrote to Attorney-General Sanders about the length of the term. He received reply a few days ago. In the event an election is decided upon by the Court of Appeals there are a number of candidates ready to enter the race. In connection with the preparation of the petition it was explained by the attorneys that they do not represent any candidate.



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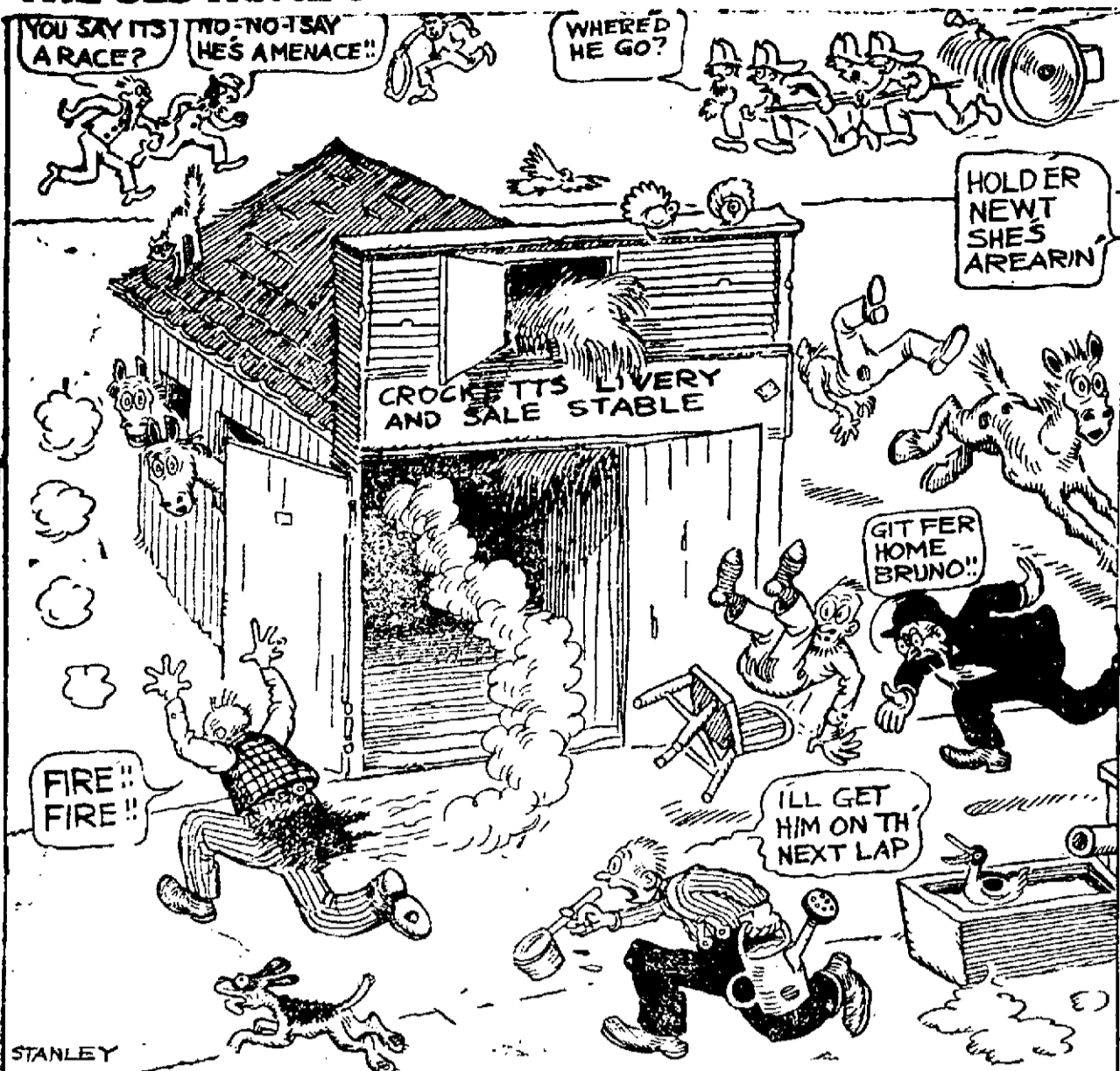
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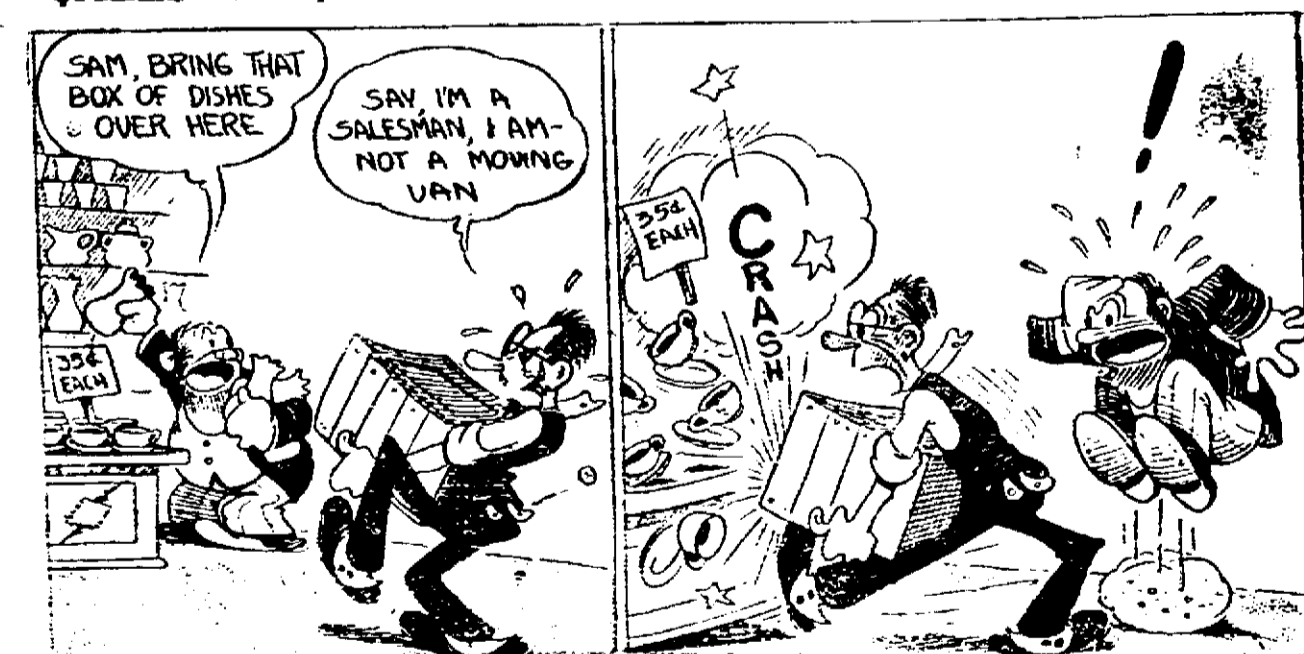
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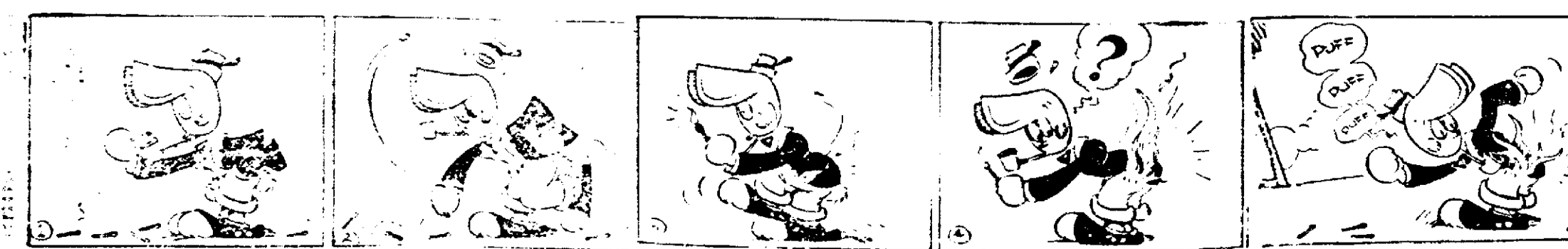
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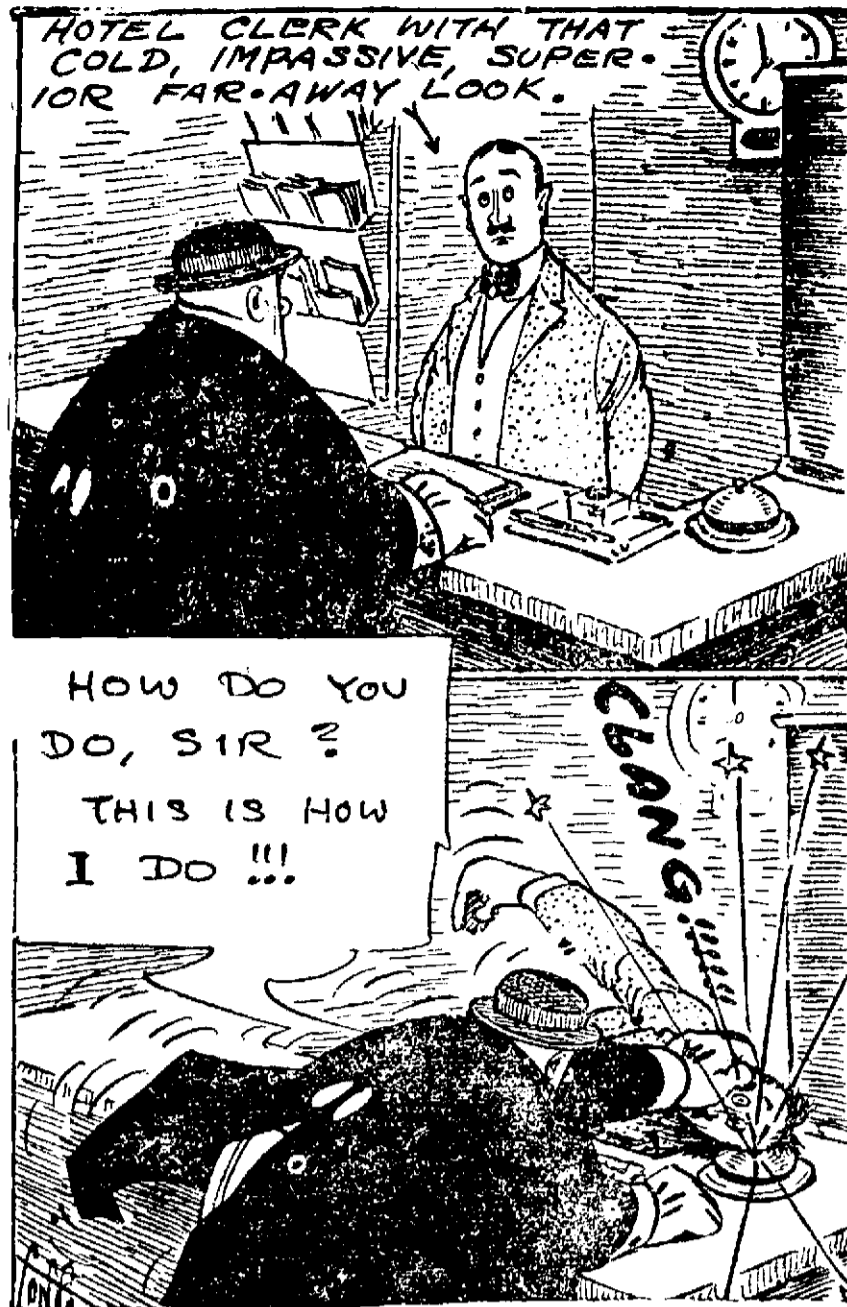
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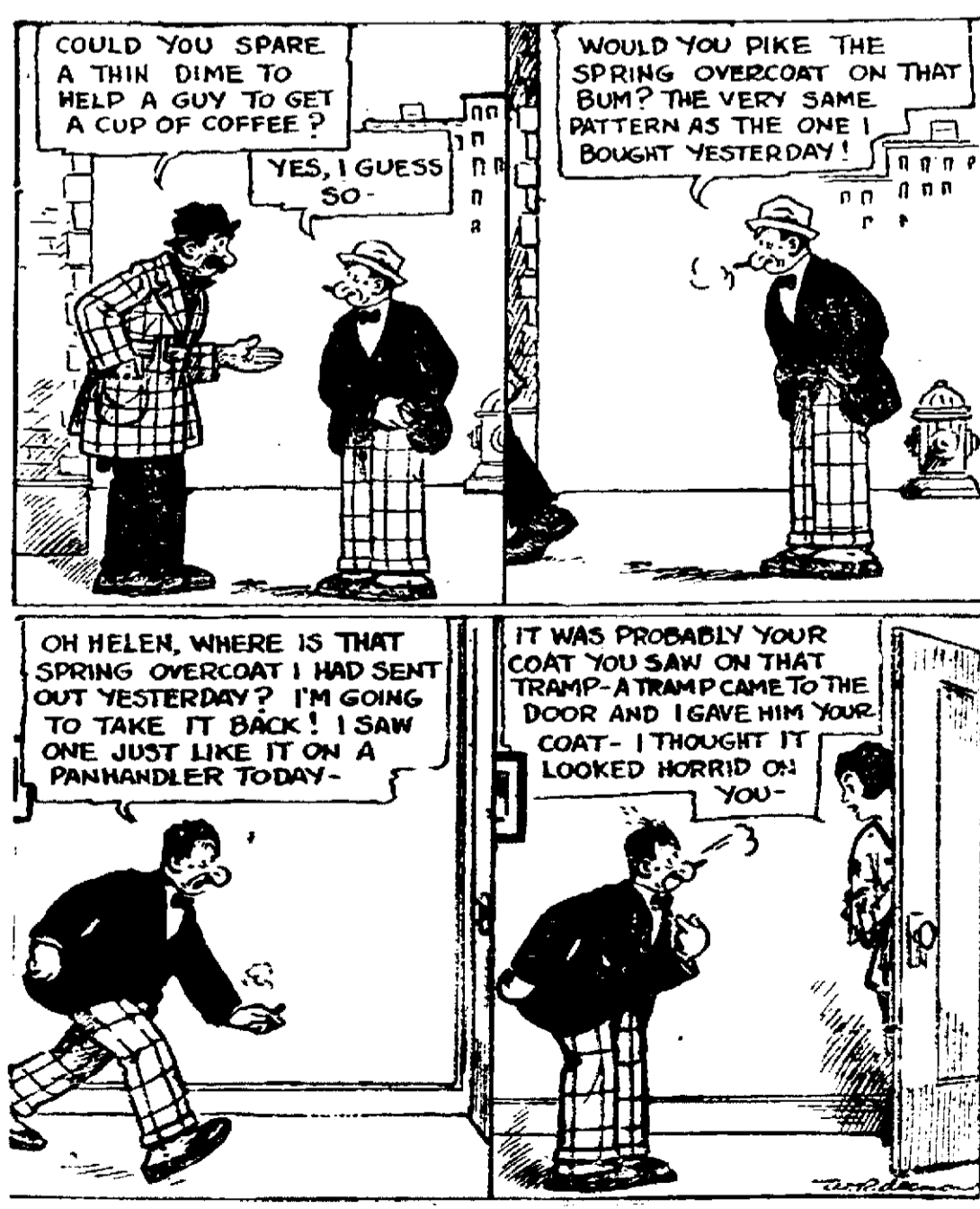
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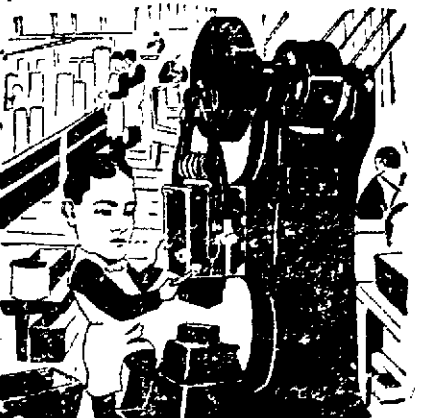
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RUSSIA HOPES FOR REVIVAL OF TRADE SPEEDILY

MOSCOW, May 23.—The Bolshevik government anticipates a great revival of foreign trade this summer. These hopes are based upon the presence in Moscow of a number of German, Swedish and other representatives of big capital.

Up to the present time the accomplishments of these capitalists are unknown and incomplete, but there can be no doubt that important negotiations for German participation in the industrial restoration of Russia are under way.

German and Swedish locomotives ordered last year are now arriving in increasing numbers. There are rumors of important conferences with Krupp and other German firms which might lead to reconstruction by the Germans of all Russia's damaged railway rolling stock and repair shops.

Short term credits have been granted by German and Swedish firms for small orders. A number of shipments have been made on the basis of collections at the point of delivery.

"Cash against documents New York," the terms on which American firms have insisted in doing business with the Bolshevik government have been the stumbling blocks to several attempted attempts by Americans in Moscow to place orders. The Foreign Trade Commissariat appears to be taking the stand that foreign firms should at least trust the Russians to the extent of sending them goods to be paid for at the point of arrival, while the Americans, perhaps remembering cancelled orders in the past, want their money before they ship.

Furthermore, so far as these cancelled orders and other previous dealings with America are concerned, the Soviet government apparently takes the stand that these are matters to be settled with the American government, when a trade agreement is effected, and all past differences are ironed out.

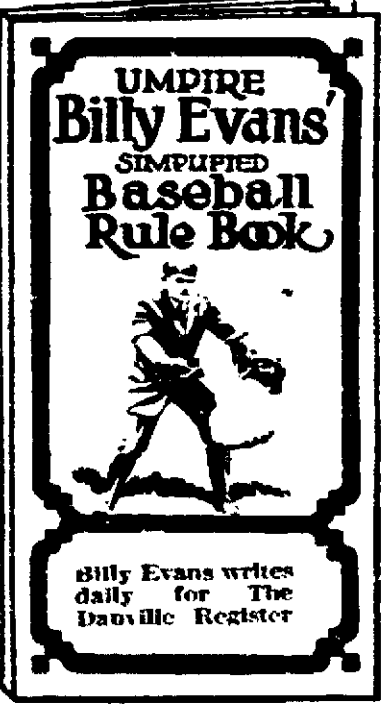
They seek to start new business with which they have cancelled orders in the past and are surprised when such firms refuse them credits or insist on cash down payments. One American recently in Moscow seeking adjustment of an old contract and also new business said their attitude was like that of a private person who considered himself bankrupt, with all old claims wiped off starting anew.

One of the old contracts, involving about \$6,000,000 which the Soviets declined to readjust, was that of the Bobroff company of Milwaukee.

In spite of the fact that they regretted the support of the National City Bank of New York might be great value to them, the Soviet authorities have declined to permit the representatives of this bank to come to Russia to recover the books of the bank's Petrograd branch which was confiscated in the early days of the Bolshevik revolution.

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TO WHAT EXTENT IS LAW RESPONSIBLE FOR CRIME?

WASHINGTON, May 23.—Legislators at the National Capital, especially those with legal training, and lawyers are much interested in the report of the committee appointed by the American Bar Association to investigate the causes of crime. It is understood from preliminary reports of the committee that among other things crime in volume in large cities is largely laid to "years of mollycoddling and sympathy my misonformed and ill-advised meddling" which has "disintegrated the administration of justice." It has also been said that crime increases or decreases in a community in step with the swiftness or slowness of the administration of justice. Where the courts act quickly, crime decreases; where there are proverbial "law delays" between arrest and trial crime increases.

What no committee from a Bar Association could be expected to report is called attention to by many who have the best interests of the law at heart: that much crime is caused by inequalities and injustices within the body of law itself. A case in point is the committal jail on contempt of court sentences three years old of a number of women in Chicago.

During the interval between the offense and the punishment the women have married and have babies, and four mothers with children in arms were incarcerated. Governor Small, taking cognizance of their changed conditions, promptly pardoned them, though he could not turn them loose, even though he had to pay for the keep of the children from his own pocket, because the lawyers held the pardoning power of the governor does not extend to contempt of court offenders. They were finally released by action of the judge.

Law which makes innocent children suffer, and which finds difficulties in connection of its injustice, it is pointed out, the law makes for crime. A further cause for crime is stated to be the intolerance and fanaticism of the reformer, which brackets an offense against a law of man with an offense against a law of nature and makes no differentiation between the two offenders. As an instance of this, Congressmen in Washington point to the statement of a well-known Senator that the offender against the dry law is a criminal, one who commits a murder, a sentiment which finds no echoes in any judicial mind.

That the United States government is not by any means free from the taint of unnecessary delays and injustices has been pointed out with an interesting if abused example. Chairman Forney of the Ways and Means Committee told the House that he was threatened with arrest for failure to pay a bill of 72 cents in his 1917 income tax. The failure was based on a misunderstanding of a sentence in an auditing and could find no better method of correcting errors than by arresting men who had done their best to meet the laws of the country. It was time the laws were revised.

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MORE OFFICERS FOR CHICAGO AS RESULT OF CRIME

CHICAGO, May 23.—An appropriation ordinance to provide \$675,000 to pay for an additional 1,000 policemen, asked by Chief of Police Fitzgerald as a result of recent outbreaks of crime and lawlessness, was introduced at a special meeting of the city council today. The ordinance was referred to the finance committee with the promise of quick action.

While the council was considering the increase in the police force, the grand jury completed an investigation into bombing, incendiarism, kidnappings and murders in connection with several labor leaders are under indictment. The last of the evidence was presented by Assistant State Attorney Fairbanks, who said that preparations had been made for the return of additional indictments.

The writ to obtain the freedom of Fred Madsen, president of the Building Trades Council and "Red Time" Murphy, head of the Gas Workers union, both of whom were indicted in connection with the slaying of two policemen by bombers, was held up until tomorrow when it came up in court today. The continuance was granted on the ground that new indictments involving the defendants may be returned.

WASTEFUL DELAY CHARGED IN THE SHOALS PROJECT

SHEFFIELD, Ala., May 23.—(Associated Press).—Calling upon Congress and the president "to end the unprofitable and wasteful delay" in the development of government property here, the Mussel Shoals conference under direction of the southern commercial congress tonight by memorial urged "early and decisive action by accepting the offer of Henry Ford."

The memorial, adopted with an enormous demonstration declared that the facts are now well known, the issue is clearly defined and the time for action is at hand.

The resolutions also provided for appointment of a legislative committee headed by Dr. Clarence J. Owens, director general of the southern commercial congress and a committee on general information to "educate the American people on Mussel Shoals." Headed by Colonel Luke Lea, of Tennessee. It declared that the opposition of the project came from "selfish interests" which disregarded the national welfare.

Other members of the legislative committee were former Senator Hoke Smith and T. R. Preston.

The second committee is made up of C. P. J. Mooney, Robert W. Bingham, Clark Howell, Josephus Daniels, Frank N. Jullans and Roy Garner.

NATIONAL PARK NEAR NORTON, VA.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—A bill to establish a national park in the vicinity of High Knob near Norton, in Wise county, Virginia, to be known as the Appalachian National Park, was introduced in the House yesterday by Congressman Siemp, of Virginia.

The bill directs the Secretary of the Interior to investigate the proposed plan, to ascertain the terms upon which the land can be secured, how much of it will be donated by the owners of the government and what the expense will be of purchasing land not donated.

Congressman Siemp stated today that he will at once take the matter to the Secretary of the Interior with a view of having his department send to Congress a favorable recommendation of the measure.

Mr. Siemp called attention to the fact that High Knob is, with the exception of Mount Mitchell, near Asheville, N. C., the highest point in the east.

CHARGES HAVE NO FOUNDATION, SAYS FRANCIS L. HAWES

WASHINGTON, May 23.—Charges laid by a "fertilizer trust" controlled prices, fixing them so high that farmers are unable to buy in quantities sufficient to meet their needs, were declared to be without substance by Francis L. Hawes, of the federal trade commission, in testimony today before the Senate agriculture committee investigating proposals to develop the nitrate and power projects at Mussel Shoals, Ala.

Mr. Hawes told of the investigation of the fertilizer industry concluded in 1915 by the federal trade commission and declared that so far as the commission had learned since that time there was "no combination in restraint of trade" in the fertilizer business. Supply and demand, he said, were the factors resulting in the high prices at the present time.

Although the investigation had not been completed since 1915, Mr. Hawes explained, the commission had received any complaint as to the existence of a trust.

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STEEL MERGER IS GOING THROUGH
NEW YORK, May 23.—The merger of independent steel companies originally planned as a seven-company amalgamation, but temporarily disrupted by the absorption of the Lackawanna Steel Company by the Bethlehem Steel Corporation, will now be a six company combine, according to the New York World.

Describing the merger as an accomplished fact, the newspaper states that the Midvale Steel and Ordnance Company, the Inland Steel Company and the Republic Iron and Steel Company have come to terms; tomorrow the Trumbull Steel Company of Warren, Ohio, will be added and two days later the Brier Hill Steel Company and the Steel Tube Company of America will join the combine.

It is probable the World says, that Bethlehem and Lackawanna will join the group in a few months, making it an eight company combination of independents and a formidable steel producing rival of the United States Steel Corporation.

LION LOOSE IN STREET
BUFFALO, May 23.—Thousands watching a circus performance here tonight were terrified when a big lion ran out of the main tent, through other and into the street. Pursued by circus employees it ran three blocks before it was finally cornered.

Several hundred people followed the lion out of the tent, and when he was cornered and roped, a great crowd encircling the spot. There was another panic when the beast broke loose from the ropes and charged directly into the crowd. The mob was too dense for the lion to penetrate, however, and it halted snarling.

The lion was finally securely roped and lifted into a cage which had been drawn to the scene.

NEGRO IS ACQUITTED OF MURDER CHARGE
DAWSON, Ga., May 23.—Lit Boatman, a negro, was acquitted by a jury here today on the charge of murder in connection with the fatal shooting of Dutch Jordan, white farmer, near Colquitt, Georgia, last year. A charge of venue was granted because of an alleged attempt by the prosecution to introduce evidence of the shooting of John and his wife.

AGREEMENT RATHED
DUBLIN, May 23.—The Ard Fheis, national convention of the Gaelic League, has reached an agreement regarding election of the composition of the government.

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MEXICO CITY, May 23.—Dispatches from Tapachula, Chiapas, today said martial law had been proclaimed throughout Guatemala as a result of the revolutionary movement against President Cerebral. All newspapers in that country have been suspended; the dispatches added.

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CHICAGO, Ill., May 24.—The schoolboy who ignores his chums' two lifted fingers when they summon him to the swimming hole, or is deaf to the urgent appeal to "play ball," and hastens to his workshop to bend over vacuum tubes, will be given an opportunity to come into his own, ac-
cording to plans of a committee in charge of radio contests in connection with the National Radio Exposition to be held here June 26-July 1. The purpose of which is said to be "to encourage young Edisons of wireless," have been announced by the committee, three of them will be for young people, two will be open to residents of any city, but each contestant must come in person to Chicago to prove that he made the device he offers.

For the grade school students an opportunity will be given to make a crystal detector set of 170 to 600 meters. It will be judged upon radio and construction, design and practicability. The prizes will be first, \$25, second, \$15, third, \$10. A more difficult proposition will be offered to the students in the high schools and manual training schools. They will be asked to make a regenerative detector, two

stage amplifier set, 175 to 600 meters wave length; for this three prizes will be given: first, \$50; second, \$30; third, \$20.

To give young men outside of the school an opportunity prizes will be offered to all under 21 years of age. This contest will be for the making of the smallest set for receiving code and of practical use—the set occupy-
ing the smallest space. For this the prizes will be first, \$50, second, \$30; third, \$20. One grand prize of \$100 will be given for the best loud speaker of the maker's own design throughout. This contest is open to anyone. Another \$100 prize will be given for the greatest radio novelty. This is also open to everyone.

All the devices entered in the various contests must be in the head-
quarters of the National Radio Ex-
position, 417 S. Dearborn street, room 401, by 8 o'clock Friday evening, June 23. The committee comprises J. C. Hall, in charge of radio station WBL, city hall; R. E. Hughes, a teacher in Evanston high school, and E. D. Pearne, of the department of electri-
city at Lane Technical High school. Another committee is working on a speed contest to find the fastest op-
erator receiving continental code.

Broadcasting Is
Boon To Blind

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 24.—(By The Associated Press.)—Radio and the broad casting of news and con-
tent through the air, was de-
clared here today to be a God send to blind persons by Charles E. Com-
stock, sightless from infancy, who leads the division for the education of adult blind connected with the State Department of Public Welfare.

"The use of radio equipment by blind persons," Mr. Comstock said, "is the greatest blessing and comfort to us in this era." He declared that this new invention makes it possible for sightless persons to receive news, daily without having to call on them; that the state has now saved money at the School for the Blind at Jacksonville and the In-
dustrial Home for the Blind in Chi-
cago.

"With the installation of radio equipment," Mr. Comstock said, "their services can be dispensed with. And not only can the blind man now have the advantage of current news, but he can listen to concerts and lectures. I have already equipped my home with radio and am receiving news directly from a central station in Chicago which makes a specialty of broadcasting out bulletins for blind persons. For the past several evenings I have been listening to concerts given in their air."

U. S. radio in the State School at Jacksonville and the Industrial Home



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When bandits boarded a Rock Island train near Tucson, Ariz., Harry Stewart, express messenger, opened fire, killed one, wounded another and forced the rest to flee.

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